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WILSON ASKS UNRESTRICTED CONTROL OF U. S. RAILROADS

Recognition of Bolsheviki May Result

PRESIDENT MAPS OUT IMPORTANT PROGRAM FOR CONGRESS

Legislation of Tremendous Importance to Come Up Before Legislators

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—President Wilson today called upon Congress to give him full and unrestricted power to conduct the Federal operation of the country's railroads.

Before a joint session of the Senate and House the President outlined the initial steps necessary to the success of Director General McAdoo's administration of the lines. He explained that the action already taken was "necessary to secure the complete mobilization of the whole resources of America by as rapid and effective a means as can be found."

"Private interests must for the present give way to public necessity," he said. The President added:

Necessary means for protecting the interests of the railroad stockholders. Measures to protect travelers and safeguard private shippers. Compensation for railroads, based on the average net railway operating income of the three years ending June 30, 1917.

President Wilson's address was a plain business message, obviously to quiet any business unrest which might result from the sweeping action of the Government. Immediately after the President had concluded, Representative Sims, chairman of the House Interstate Commerce committee, introduced a bill carrying out the President's recommendations.

BY L. C. MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—President Wilson today started Congress on a legislative program expected to result eventually in government ownership of the nation's railroads.

Here is what is expected of Congress: Creation of an organization under Director General McAdoo, similar to the government shipping board, to buy and sell railroad securities.

Appropriations of \$500,000,000 for immediate improvements with protective legislation to insure the government not losing money put into such improvements.

Laws authorizing the government to compensate the railroads on a basis of the average net operating income of the last three years.

Protection of Travelers
Necessary measures for protecting travelers and shippers under the government leased regime.

Authorization to the President or McAdoo of all power to run the railroads during the war.
Out of the financial web thus woven, no one, neither directors, stockholders, administration officials or labor leaders, believe the transportation systems will ever extricate themselves to return to private operation.

While legislators awaited the President's word on the railroads, an effort to have the government fix wages in practically all industrial lines during the war was begun in the Senate.

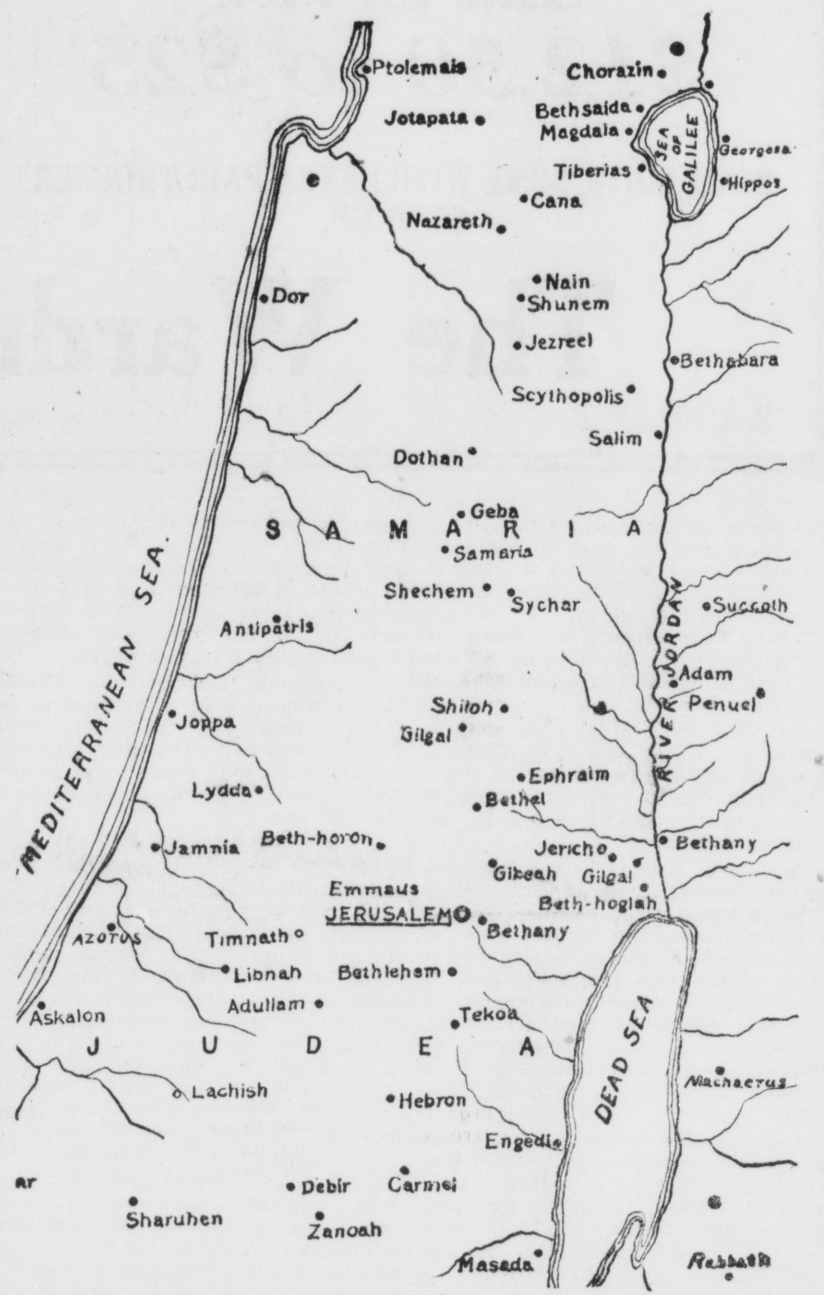
Senator King prepared a resolution calling on the Senate commerce committee to report whether legislation authorizing the government to fix wages of all workmen engaged on government contracts would be constitutional. If the committee's report is favorable, King will introduce a bill authorizing such wage standardization.

King admitted today the enactment of such a law undoubtedly would react on the labor market generally, resulting, in fact, in government wage fixing for the whole country.

To Stabilize Labor, Aim
"Stabilization of the labor situation is my aim," said King. "Testimony of government officials is that one department has been bidding against another for labor, while all government departments have faced keen competition by private employers. Wages have been raised as a result of this so that men doing the same sort of work in different places are not paid the same. This causes discontent."

Senator Hollis, New Hampshire, planned to call the railroad question to the Senate's attention at once through a speech on England's experiences with government control. Hollis planned to emphasize England's handling of railroad workers.

THE map below shows the Holy Land in the time of Christ. This map is particularly interesting at the present time as it is now for the first time in over 400 years under the rule of a Christian nation. The English advancing from the south have captured the city of Jerusalem and progressed to a point about ten miles north of that city.



WAR CANNOT END SHORT OF TWO YEARS SAYS MISSION

Increased Speed Necessary In Transportation and Movement of Troops

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Members of the House mission believe the United States and the allies, in 1918, can lay a firm foundation for victory. But they hold out no hope—so far as the military situation now appears—that the war will actually end in less than two years.

Political or psychological elements may bring a quicker collapse, they say, but experts declare the nations at war must proceed with a two or three-year fight in mind and lay their plans for even a longer struggle to be on the safe side.

While some of the mission's impressions were gathered under pessimistic circumstances, the general tone of their deductions as to the future is hopeful. They believe that too much emphasis cannot be laid on the need of unity of action and purpose and, above all, on speed.

Increase Speed
To this end, much thought is being given to ways and means for increasing America's fighting contingents. All this depends on ships.

One of the first plans considered was to stow some troops on every ship—tramp, tanker, or what not, crossing the war zone. While the addition would not be enormous—perhaps 4000 a month, it would help some, authorities say. The War Department, however, does not favor the plan. Now there is talk of getting additional allied shipping through pooling arrangements, though it is doubtful that such help can come from this source until U-boat losses decrease and ship production increases.

Training Going Well
Secretary Baker said today training of troops is proceeding as speedily as possible. And, he pointed out, this speeding up process has been strength-

ened by appointment of General Morrison as military training director and by giving all division commanders an opportunity to see foreign training and fighting for themselves.

Whether or not the number of months' training on this side can be reduced materially will depend wholly on the ship situation. Other visible aspects of the gearing up process are:

1. Creation of a war council, which Baker declares is the very top of the War Department.

2. Appointment of new chiefs to handle the administration of vital war in the coast artillery, ordnance and quartermaster branches.

3. Reorganization of the ordnance bureau to strengthen its administrative power, lessen red tape and delays.

4. A process of change within the quartermaster branch, now proceeding, whereby General Goethals, as administrator, will have men of power and ability under him.

New Secretary Proposed
Meantime Senator Chamberlain proposes passage of a bill creating a secretaryship of munitions. The administration sees no need for such a post now and feels that its present reorganization will meet the needs of a red-tapeless unity, and speed.

Other vital organization plans are in the making in the legislation now being considered by the war council.

The congressional probe, plus the House mission recommendations, have gone far toward putting a punch and a purpose into war work. Less lagging is in prospect, authorities agree. This is well, they add, for 1918 is destined to see some of the bloodiest fighting of the whole struggle. President Wilson, as well as military men, say the vital decisions appear likely to come in that period, although probably the knockout cannot be delivered until later.

VON BUELOW MAY TAKE PLACE OF HERTLING

LONDON, Jan. 4.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdam gives a Berlin report that Count von Hertling, the imperial German chancellor, is indisposed, adding that a rumor says there is intriguing to bring in Count von Hertling's resignation on ground of ill health in order to make way for Prince von Buelow.

A dispatch from Copenhagen, November 16, said the German crown prince recently had a long conference with von Buelow. Von Buelow has been believed to be in accord with the views of the crown prince regarding the war, while von Hertling is known to be an exponent of the policy to which the crown prince is opposed.

ABOLITION FREE TALKING AREAS WOULD CRIPPLE INDUSTRIES

Strong Evidence Against Telephone Company's Proposal Presented Today

That the elimination of the free toll areas in Orange County would seriously affect the efficiency of the fruit exchange; that it would have the same effect on the two mutual water companies in the county; that it would cripple commercial enterprises and add materially to their costs of conducting business; that between 25 and 50 per cent of the subscribers in the territories proposed to be cut off from the service would have to deny themselves the privileges of the phone because of the excessive cost if toll had to be paid and because the service would not be worth the price if confined to the local exchange; that the Pacific Telephone company pays about 4 1/2 per cent royalty on certain patents, and that the Home Telephone company is operated more cheaply than the Pacific, are a few of the features developed today at the rehearing of the telephone company's petition for permission to merge with the Home company in this county, increase the rates and eliminate present free toll areas.

The hearing was held at the supervisors' room before Commissioner Edgerton. While many of the prominent officials of the telephone company were in attendance, up to the time of closing this report none had been called to give evidence in support of the petition. Among the men here were C. F. Mason, superintendent of the Southern California Telephone company; Jas. A. Lynch, district commercial agent, and District Commercial Engineer Wigton. Attorney Shaw represented the company. There was a large attendance of interested business men from different parts of the county. Frank Davenport Howell, chief engineer of the Department of Public Utilities of Los Angeles, who has been advising the local committee, was in attendance to advise the Orange county lawyers handling the case.

L. D. Palmer, manager of the Orange Fruit Exchange, this afternoon gave it as his opinion that the efficiency of the exchange would be seriously affected if the free tolls were eliminated.

Walter Eden of Santa Ana, City Attorney Garrett of Orange, and City Attorney Ames of Anaheim represented the Associated Chambers of Commerce at the hearing, the city attorneys also representing their city. City Attorney Allen of Fullerton was also present.

Eden opened the hearing with a presentation of the position of the Associated Chambers of Commerce against the proposed merger, the increased rates and elimination of the free toll areas.

That it is the intention of the Pacific Telephone Company to use whichever franchise is most advantageous to it in the different cities, if the merger is granted, was the statement of the attorney representing the phone company.

City Attorney Ames brought out this information when he called attention to the fact that each of the companies have franchises in Anaheim, the Pacific expiring in 1925 and the Home in 1956.

The Home franchise provides a maximum rate for phones, with the city council having authority to make the rates up to the maximum.

Commissioner Edgerton said that the commission had always considered that it had absolute authority in rate regulation over any contract entered into between a community and a company prior to and that the supreme court had rendered in at least one instance opinion supporting this position.

Finley Testifies
S. H. Finley was the first witness called, and he testified as to the community interests in the present free toll areas. He gave it as his opinion that in event the merger was effected and the free toll areas eliminated the value of a telephone to the subscriber would depreciate 50 per cent and that the company would lose from 25

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Dramatic Turn in Russ Affairs Likely to Have Lasting Effect On Allies, Especially America

Brest-Litovsk Parley Ends With Teuton Tricks Completely Uncovered

RUSSIA, Jan. 4.—Russia repudiates a German-contrived peace. The parleys at Brest-Litovsk apparently are ended. The bolsheviki government is awake to the duplicity and self interest of the Germans. Whether or not Russia can fight again within months cannot be foreseen.

These facts stand in strong relief today out of a maze of almost hysterical bolsheviki anger at the full record of German machinations and attempts to deceive the Russian people. Publication of the proceedings at Brest-Litovsk with interviews with the Russian delegates spread over all the newspapers during the past few days has brought home to the Russian people Germany's sinister duplicity in all the armistice and peace negotiations.

No peace is possible, in the German view, without Germany's virtual annexation of Lithuania, Poland, Courland and Estonia.

That part of the armistice between Germany and Russia, relating to troop movements expires January 12 (Dec. 30, Russian style). What is to happen then is something no Russian will prophesy.

Military System Disorganized
Thousands of Russian troops have been withdrawn from all fronts, the transport system has been allowed to melt away; the whole military system is disorganized. Soldiers' delegates in Petrograd insist that the army cannot be expected to fight under present utter disorganization and demoralization.

Foreign Minister Trotsky today forwarded a formal note to Persia offering, in accordance with the armistice between Russia and the central powers, to evacuate Russian troops from Persian soil, on condition that Turkey do likewise with regard to Russian territory held by her.

Kerensky Again Active
It was reported today that former Premier Kerensky was preparing a formal record of his services in the revolution for presentation to the constituent assembly, presumably as the first move in his campaign for rehabilitation.

The newspaper Novyazhvezd editorially demanded today to know whether the bolsheviki intend to renew the war at a time "when the army is without officers and the whole offensive and defensive plan is in a chaotic mess—some soldiers deserted, others withdrawn to fight at inner fronts, munitions plants liquidated, railway traffic destroyed, and famine advancing on the front and rear."

The conference here in Petrograd between German and Russian delegates considering the future of war prisoners on both sides, developed a deadlock today. The Russian conferees demanded the right to unrestricted communication with socialists in the central powers. The German delegates declared they were not authorized to consent. The Russians thereupon withdrew pending receipt of further instructions from the soviet.

INDEPENDENCE OF UKRAINIA AGREED UPON

PETROGRAD, Jan. 4.—Decision to acknowledge the independence of Ukraina was reached by the commissaries council today.

Presumably the council of commissaries—that is, a meeting of the various executives which the bolsheviki named to administer various cities and states of Russia—represents the will of the bolsheviki government itself.

The decision to acknowledge Ukraina's independence is virtually a victory for the Cossack rebels. The Korniloff-Kaledines revolt, however, did not originate in Ukraina, but when that section of Russia made its bid for separate entity, it joined forces with the Cossacks.

Ukraina is the so-called "White Russia," comprising sections of the old Polish kingdom. A movement for independence has been in progress there for more than three months.

CENTER PARTY UPHOLDS GERMAN POSITION

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 4.—Proceedings of the main reichstag committee's sessions at Berlin, reaching here today, showed that the Center party is sup-

PROPOSE MINISTRY OF MUNITIONS AS RESULT OF PROBE REVELATION

Senator Chamberlain In New Bill Suggests Position Be Given on Cabinet

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Senator Chamberlain today introduced a bill proposing to create a minister of munitions as a result of the military probe revelations recently made public. He proposed that the munitions minister be a member of the cabinet and be in charge of all procuring, manufacturing and distribution of arms, ammunition, food, clothing, equipment, tentage and other shelter, and the transportation of everything else the President might designate as munitions of war.

The bill is intended to expedite and increase the supply of munitions of war.

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porting Germany's contentions that Poland, Lithuania and Courland are "separate entities" of Russia.

The German government's position as to non-withdrawal of troops from these sections, which is the main stumbling block to Russia's acceptance of the general terms of peace, is therefore presumably supported by a majority in the main committee.

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CZAR PLOTS TO OVER-THROW SOCIALISTS

PETROGRAD, Jan. 4.—The czar's government is in communication with German autocracy seeking the formation of an international convention which would lay plans for a world-wide fight against socialists, was revealed in documents unearthed at the foreign office and made public by the bolsheviki government today. The archives show four parleys had been actually begun at the time with this purpose in view.

DATE FIXED FOR OPENING ASSEMBLY

PETROGRAD, Jan. 4.—Opening of the constituent assembly was fixed for January 8, if a quorum of 400 members is then present in Petrograd, according to formal announcement today.

REMOVE FLETCHER AS CONVOY SYSTEM HEAD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Rear Admiral W. B. Fletcher, formerly in charge of the navy convoy system abroad, has been relieved and ordered home as a direct outgrowth of the torpedoing of the American transport Antilles. This fact leaked out today, a considerable time after its occurrence, following charges of Representative Britten, Illinois, that the Antilles was sunk through navy negligence.

Rear Admiral Fletcher, not the Fletcher of Vera Cruz fame, did not believe sufficient convoy was at his disposal, it is claimed, but it is a mooted question in navy quarters whether Admiral Sims, chief of operations, provided sufficiently.

In any event it was held that Fletcher's removal was advisable. No court martial was held, so the incident does not stand officially against his record.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels refused today to make public Fletcher's name or to discuss in any way the outcome of the Antilles case.

NEW APPROPRIATIONS ASKED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Additional appropriations of \$783,000,000 to speed up America's ship-building program were asked of the House this afternoon in a letter from Secretary McAdoo in behalf of the shipping board.

Among First Acts Probably Will Be Attempt to Aid In Destiny of Slavs

BY ED L. KEEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The dramatic turn of events in Russia today will, in all likelihood, affect the allied cause more than the winning of a great battle.

It may mean, first of all, recognition by the allies of the Russian bolsheviki government. Certainly it seemed likely today to result in another joint effort by the allies to aid Russia in working out her own destiny.

Dispatches from Germany, via Amsterdam today, stated that the central powers' delegates are all returning to Brest-Litovsk and coupled with this information the report that new and more moderate terms were to be offered the Russians. Just what these new "concessions" were to be was not indicated. The delegates, it was said, included Foreign Minister Kuhlmann, Count Czernin and the full Bulgarian and Turkish delegations.

Effect Will Reach America
As observers saw the situation today, the effect of the complete and convincing proof offered at Brest-Litovsk of Germany's sinister annexationist plans will be psychological, political and moral—not alone in Russia and Germany, but particularly in America and in neutral nations.

No one in England has much hope that Russia will be able to resume the war in case of a definite breach. That is practically impossible owing to the condition of the Russian army. Germany may not have to waste many men in her efforts to penetrate Russia commercially in view of this utter disorganization of the Muscovite fighting forces. The Brest-Litovsk negotiations, however, have proved this effort at commercial penetration and economic domination as Germany's particular game in Russia. The revelations must inevitably strengthen the allies' resolution to wage the war unrelentingly to a victory.

A Russia dominated by Germany dwarfs even the Mittel Europa scheme in its vastness.

Urges Bolsheviki Recognition

The liberal newspapers, Chronicle and News, both urged practical recognition by the allies of the bolsheviki in editorial comment today.

"Are we to be the silent witnesses of this momentous conflict?" the News asked. "It is a moment for a great act of faith."

The Chronicle goes further in its prediction as to the allied position. "In view of the latest developments," the editorial asserted, "it is now understood that de facto recognition at least may be given to the bolsheviki government."

The Chronicle's correspondent writes:

Suggest Three Alternatives
"Circumstances obviously have changed of late as a result of the bolsheviki discovery of German duplicity. The German method has been to give with one hand and take with the other. Now that the Russian government is aware of this anything may happen. Three alternatives present themselves—the bolsheviki or the Germans will give way or there will be a rupture. The first is hardly likely in view of the declarations of Trotsky. The second is possible because the Germans are masters of specious compromise but the third seems most probable. We may witness a revival of the war—if not actively at least a defensive war, requiring Germany to keep a considerable force on the front and at least preventing those commercial exchanges which Germany hopes for."

"The alternative of accepting a German peace is to fight," said the Times Leader today. "Unfortunately the army is almost ruined."

The News' Petrograd correspondent today cabled it was reliably reported that there were two distinct tendencies apparent among the German delegates to the Brest-Litovsk conference. One group, under Dr. Hoffman, led the annexationists, and Kuehlmann and Czernin headed the moderates. There were frequent disputes, he asserted, each time the matter being referred to Berlin. Czernin and Kuehlmann, the dispatch asserted, were always upheld.

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DRAFT AGE MAY BE INCREASED ACCORDING TO CROWDER PLAN

Men of Mature Years Needed
to Fill Places In Skilled
Labor Branches

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—Increasing the draft age from 31 to 40 or 45 years is one of the "probabilities of the future" according to Provost Marshal General Crowder in his comprehensive report to the secretary of war.

The draft of the older men should be mainly for skilled war labor but also to distribute the burdens of the war. There are plenty of young men for the first line fighting. Crowder has shown, but he also points out there is a danger of "injuring the coming generation" by taking away too many of the aggressively patriotic young men.

Out of the 10,683,249 men between the ages of 31 and 45, Crowder estimates 3,525,472 were unmarried and that 39 per cent of the latter figure, or 1,389,388, would be accepted for service under the present regulations.

Advocating this, Crowder said: "Young Men Most Pliable" "The younger men are generally deemed to make the soundest and most pliable military material. On the other hand, the older men are more likely to yield in large numbers the occupational skill so necessary in the varied compositions of the modern army."

"Under the national selective service system which seeks to distribute the burden equally among the willing and unwilling, it is important, if not essential, to include the older men because the smaller proportion of them is likely to enlist."

Under the new system a card index of the abilities of every man will be compiled in Washington after the questionnaires are all returned. In this way the government will be able to put its finger on men of certain trades just when they are needed.

"The whole labor problem can thus be controlled," Crowder points out, "adjustments forced where right and proper that they should be forced and in this respect this nation will be in the most advantageous position ever occupied by a belligerent power in this or any other war."

JAPANESE FREIGHTER FACES DESTRUCTION BEFORE PORT REACHED

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—The Japanese freighter Shinyo Maru 2 faces utter destruction by fire before she can reach port. It was learned this afternoon from a government vessel which raced to her rescue. The burning ship is in such a position that she cannot reach port for four days and may be burned to the water's edge before that time. She carried a cargo worth four millions of dollars.

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FIVE MORE VICTIMS OF INDIAN MASSACRE

NOGALES, Ariz., Jan. 4.—Five more victims of the Yaqui band which massacred 107 on the Southern Pacific of Mexico train Wednesday were reported today.

The atrocities were committed at Tuerobabi, north of Guaymas, where the Indians raided the small village, killing, assaulting and pillaging.

HUNGARY'S SEVENTH WAR LOAN A FAILURE

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Subscriptions to Hungary's seventh war loan totaled about 3,000,000,000 stonens, whereas the government expected 8,000,000,000 kronen, telegraphs the correspondent at Amsterdam of the Exchange Telegraph Company. Most of the subscriptions were forced on the leading banks, the message adds, only an insignificant share being taken by the populace.



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to 50 per cent of its present subscribers.

O. E. Mansur, secretary of the S. A. V. I. Co., said that the company had 2200 stockholders and that each of them would average four calls a month to the office at Orange, in addition to the calls that would go to the zanjeros and from the zanjeros to the stockholders. He recited the tactics employed by the Sunset company in inducing subscriptions when the Home tried to get into Orange. He stated that solicitors of the Pacific told the people of the territory adjacent to Orange that if they lined up with the Home they could not get into Orange—the free toll service being put up strong in favor of the Pacific.

Byron A. Crawford, manager of the Tustin Hills Citrus Association; C. D. Brown, orange and lemon grower in the Red Hill section; A. B. Haven, seed farmer; F. B. Browning, president of the Tustin Lemon Association; S. Armer of Orange; C. C. Bonebrake, city engineer of Santa Ana; R. L. Bishy, manager of the W. H. Spurgeon Realty Company, and J. W. Wallup, secretary of the Orange County Producers' Association, with headquarters at Fullerton, were the witnesses called before noon.

Agree Company Would Lose

These witnesses were used in producing evidence showing the close relationship in a business way of the different communities served in the different free toll areas. Without exception each stated that in case the merger is granted and the free toll area is eliminated the business of the telephone company would suffer severe loss by people taking out their phones. Witnesses from Tustin stated that 75 per cent of their calls were to Santa Ana. The importance of free service to Orange by Santa Ana, Tustin and Garden Grove was developed by witnesses representing the fruit exchanges. The fruit exchange for the packing houses in all the districts east and south of the Santa Ana river made the service absolutely necessary. A charge of 10 cents per call would be prohibitive.

City Engineer Bonebrake of Santa Ana had made estimates of the cost of maintaining each phone in different districts from evidence submitted at the former hearing. He showed that the average for the Home in a series of five years was \$11.39. For the Sunset, in 1916, with the estimate made from seven exchanges inside and outside the county, the average was \$20.23½.

Armor Tells History

Samuel Armor went into ancient history in the development of the business of the Pacific at Orange, bringing strongly to the attention of the commission that the large patronage enjoyed by the Orange exchange was solicited and built up on the free toll service with Santa Ana and other points. He said that in the early days the company attempted an exchange there, he having in charge. A toll of 10 cents was charged. The subscribers became dissatisfied, cut out their phones, and signed through the Santa Ana exchange. Later when the exchange was re-established, the people refused to subscribe unless given a free service with Santa Ana. In Armor's opinion, the people of Orange are more concerned as to the free toll area than they are in the increase in rates. He believes they would rather pay a higher rate than have the service discontinued. He gave it as his opinion that the Orange exchange is on a paying basis, the company's claim to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the company has been extending its territory and lines out of revenue from the office.

Commissioner Edgerton advised that the company could not do this now, as it is under the regulation of the commission. The latter knows exactly what revenue is received from the exchange and what the expenses are.

Why Merger Should Not Be Made

The objections to the merger and elimination of the free toll area were stated by Attorney Eden as follows:

1. The merger ought not to be permitted, because:

(a) By removing the competition, rates will be raised, and free tolls between exchanges that in fact constitute one community, will be abolished, to the detriment of the subscribers, and the service.

(b) It appears that the Union Home Telephone Company can operate a telephone business much cheaper than the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., that is for but a little more than one half as much, due apparently to the use of more up to date telephone equipment, and to the fact that its equipment is not charged with the payment of the 4½ per cent royalty for the use of patents, which is chargeable to the equipment of the Pacific company.

If this merger is granted, Orange County will be deprived of the benefit of this agency which, in its nature, is cheaper than that of the Pacific company.

This is fair competition to the benefit of which Orange County is entitled. If the Pacific company cannot meet this competition without a loss to it, it ought to go out of business, and give us the benefit of the best and cheapest service.

(c) The proposed merger violates the Federal Anti-Trust law.

(d) The deed from Home company is not sufficiently specific as to the property proposed to be transferred.

(e) Subscribers will be charged 4½ per cent on Home property acquired by them, which is now free from that.

(f) It will not benefit the subscribers and the public to consolidate the two phone systems, as alleged in petition No. 2920; because the Union Home Telephone Company is prepared and able to furnish to telephone subscribers as good service as the Pacific

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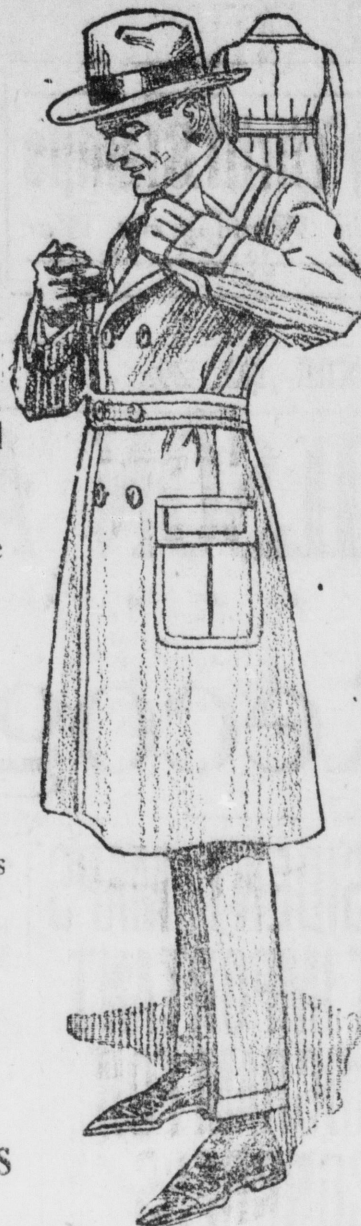
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Telephone & Telegraph Co., and at about one-half the cost of operation per subscriber. This kind of competition ought not to be destroyed, to the detriment of the public.

Why Rates Should Not Raise

The rates ought not to be raised, nor the present free toll area abolished, at this time, because:

(a) This is an application only to permit the Union Home Telephone Company and the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. to exchange property. The application does not ask for an increase in rates.

True, it is claimed by the Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co. that an adjustment of rates is an incident to the merger. But, an adjustment of rates would involve only a decision as to which of the rates of the two companies now in force should be the rate to be charged. The rate sought by the Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co. to have fixed, is, in many instances, a very radical increase of the present rate charged by either company.

Again, if this merger were granted, the present rate of the Union Home Telephone Company would automatically cease to exist, and the rates, as heretofore fixed for the Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co. would be unaffected. No confusion as to rates would follow a merger.

(b) No testimony has been offered of an appraisal of the property of the telephone company, such as will constitute a fair basis for fixing rates.

(c) Santa Ana, Orange, Tustin and Garden Grove exchanges cover a territory so intimately connected together by business and other ties, that they form one community, which public convenience and necessity demand should remain a free toll area.

(d) Anaheim, Fullerton and Placentia exchanges cover a territory so intimately connected together by business and other ties, that they form one community, which public convenience and necessity demand should remain a free toll area.

Not Psychological Moment

(e) This is not the psychological moment, or time, to make this application for a raise in telephone rates. Coming, as it does, just at the time when it is proposed to destroy competition, it is impossible for the public mind to disassociate the removal of competition and the increase in rates.

If this merger shall be granted, and at the same time rates increased, and the present free toll area abolished, the logical result will be a very large loss of subscribers, and a consequent depreciation of the earning power of the several exchanges affected.

The business public, which must have telephone service at whatever rate is fixed, is interested in retaining as many of the present patrons of the company, during the first and second years after the merger as possible; as after the merger will be the logical period, and in fact the only period, during which a test can be made, with any

certainly at all, of the true physical value of the property and earning power of the merged companies. It will be unfair to the subscribers to so depreciate the earning power of the company.

(f) If this consolidation is allowed we ask that it be made on condition that the company will not ask an increase in rates, or the abolition of free toll area now in effect, as was done in the Los Angeles cases.

(g) If this consolidation is made, subscribers to the Home Co. will become subscribers to the Pacific Co., and will be burdened with higher rates on account of the "Licensee Revenue," being the 4½ per cent paid by the Pacific Co. for royalty on patents.

(h) Before this 4½ per cent is allowed at all, this being a rate case, the commission should examine carefully into the justness of this claim; and should ascertain and determine the true value of these services, what patents are alive and used by the company today, and just what patents included in this charge are live patents only through contract.

ATTENTION, VETERAN REBEKAHS

You are requested to meet at Odd Fellows' hall at 2 p. m. Friday, Jan. 4. Bring needles and thimbles ready for work to finish pillows, which must be sent to France.
By order president,
FLORA M. PYLE.

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No fumes from the gas can penetrate to your rooms, for all smoke, odors, etc., are carried away through the vent pipe into the chimney. Indeed the combustion is so perfect that, if the little door in the top be left open, no fumes can be detected.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH SHOWS FINE WORK

Reports at Annual Meeting Show Best Year in History of Congregation

With bills all paid and a balance in the treasury of each department of the church, and reports showing the past year to have been the banner year in the history of the organization, the members of the Congregational Church last night at their annual meeting voted unanimously to increase the salary of their pastor, Rev. Perry F. Schrock by \$300 per year.

The meeting last night was one of extreme enthusiasm and happiness on the part of the members of the congregation. Reports from all departments of the work of the church showed encouragingly that each branch is actively engaged in the promotion of the church activities.

The well prepared banquet held in the church basement was enjoyed by fully two hundred members of the congregation. After the dinner the members listened to the interesting reports presented by the different departments.

Officers recently elected were in their places and already actively engaged in the church work.

These officers recently elected are: Clerk, Miss Bess Henry.

Treasurer, C. S. Crookshank.

Treasurer of Benevolences, Miss Ada O'Brien.

Deacons, W. B. Tedford and J. F. Talcott.

Board of Trustees, A. J. Crookshank, W. E. Otis, Dr. J. E. Paul, H. C. McCord and W. S. Rose.

Deaconess, Mrs. John Cochran.

Japanese Branch Committee, C. H. Chapman, D. G. Cole and Mrs. W. B. Tedford.

Musical Committee, J. A. Cranston, Miss Birdenia Henry, Mrs. W. E. Otis, Chairman Board of Ushers, W. S. Decker.

GOOD REPORT HEARD FROM NORTH EXPLORER

DAWSON, Y. T., Jan. 4.—Wilhelm Steffansson is at Herschel Island and expects to reach Nome, Alaska, next summer, according to reports reaching here from Fort Yukon, Alaska. The entire Steffansson party was reported in good health.

A northwest mounted police winter patrol left here yesterday with mails for Fort McPherson to connect with a similar patrol from Herschel Island. The patrol will probably return here in March with full details of the results of the Steffansson expedition.

Heal Skin Diseases

It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, blotches, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. A little zemo, obtained at any drug store for 35c, or \$1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

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3 Sweet Wrinkle Peas, No. 2	25c
can	25c
Washington Crisps, 2 for	15c
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White Ribbon Compound	20 1/2c
Brisket Boil	10c
Plate Boil	11c
Short Ribs	12c

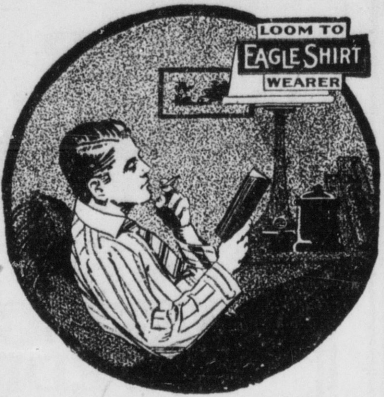
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SAMMIES LEARN BEST METHODS KEEP WARM

Cold Weather Pretty Hard on Men Not Used to War Conditions in France

BY J. W. PEGLER (United Press Staff Correspondent) WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Jan. 4.—America's soldiers in France are fast learning how to keep warm under conditions as they exist in the war zone.

How a certain military contingent marched sixty miles in the teeth of a blizzard "on its nerve and hot stew" was one chapter today of the story of how the Sammies are enduring the hardships of the fighting men in the best possible fashion.

It has been bitter cold but the cold snap relaxed slightly today. The snow storm paused and a sickly pale sun shed its feeble warmth over a vast white desert over which the Americans are putting up a defensive fight against the cold.

At noon thawing sun sent trickles of water down red-tiled roofs and eave spouts of the billets gurgled a mocking spring song. There is worse weather and more of it coming soon—therefore the Sammies are propping by bitter experience. They are preparing to shut out the snow and wind and shut in the heat.

A young French soldier, home on leave from the front and before the war employed in New Orleans, found a group of shivering Alabamians billeted in his father's barn.

"You fellows aren't wise to this game," he said. "I've been doing it for three years. There's no use crawling into the hay unless you stuff paper in the chinks in the walls and build in the window frames with loose bricks like the French soldiers do when they are billeted in deserted villages near the front. Just watch and you'll know the trick."

The Frenchman kicked away and dislodged bricks from the base of an old wall. In fifteen minutes he finished his job and plasterless masonry filled the window aperture through which snow had formerly drifted.

The certain militia contingent on completing its sixty mile hike found its new billets intensely cold. But within a very short time the men had plugged up all the holes and started red hot fires in portable fire buckets.

AUSTRIA ACCUSES POPE

ROME, Jan. 4.—Austria-Hungary, the greatest Catholic nation, stands accused by the Catholic Church. The Pope is charged with a breach of faith with the church in Austria because he protested warmly against the Teutonic raid over Padua, which resulted in grave damage to magnificent churches and the killing of innocent women and children.

AUCTION SALE

Of Camp Equipment, at West Newport, 36th St., near Pavilion.

Monday, Jan. 7, 1918, at 2 p. m.

The following will be sold to the highest bidder: About 4000 ft. matched lumber in sections, nailed to 2x4's; 12 sections 8x10, 1 section 20x30, 1 section 30x70, 1 kitchen 18x30, single roof; make good garage. 1 tent, 20x30. 1 large refrigerator, 3 sections; suitable for grocery or restaurant. 1 C. & S. 7x24, Hague, oil burner range with water coil, 40-gal. boiler and stand. 100-gal., 16-gauge oil tank; (cost \$200); suitable for restaurant. 1 smoke stack, 1 galv. sink, 20 iron cots. Pots, pans, kettles, dishes, etc. W. E. GATES, Auctioneer

FOR RED CROSS YEAR STARTING OUT SPLENDID PROSPECTS

Plenty of Material on Hand, Over 3000 Members and \$3000 in Treasury

JUNIOR AUXILIARIES WILL BE A FEATURE

Anti-Red Cross Stories to Be Reported to Los Angeles Headquarters

The Santa Ana Red Cross has a goodly quantity of materials on hand for sewers and knitters, and has \$3009.24 in the treasury.

Splendid work is being done in the various departments, and reports from auxiliaries show a splendid spirit.

Thus, with a membership of over 3000, Santa Ana chapter enters into the year 1918 with excellent prospects for a big year's work.

Classes of workers at the Army are crowded, and the central headquarters and the various branches and auxiliaries are expecting to turn out materials in increasing quantities.

At yesterday's monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Santa Ana chapter the prospect for a lot of unusual work by the Junior Red Cross organization of the Intermediate school, and later by other Junior Red Cross organizations still to be formed, pointed the way to the field of widening effort.

Material on Hand Mrs. C. A. Gustlin, chairman of the hospital garments committee, reported that she had an ample supply of material on hand now. For a time there was considerable difficulty in getting supplies of yarn. Recently the expenditures for that department have been around \$1000 a month. However, with the quantities on hand the expenditure will be less for the next few months.

Mrs. Gustlin's report for December shipments follows: Knitted garments—sweaters, 114; mufflers, 99; wristlets, 72; socks, 204 pairs. Total, 484.

Patients' clothing—pajamas, 27 suits; handkerchief substitutes, 12 dozen; surgical shirts, 48. Total, 219 pieces.

Hospital linen—draw sheets, 7 dozen; sheets, 1 1/2 dozen; pillow cases, 4 dozen; hand towels, 2 dozen; Turkish towels, 4 dozen; tray covers, 15 dozen; wash cloths, 18 dozen; ice bag covers, 13 dozen; hot water bag covers, 6 dozen; table napkins, 28 dozen. Total, 1182 pieces.

Comfort bags—37.

Year's Report

Dr. Peryl Magill, chairman of the surgical dressings committee, reported that in 1917 the headquarters here shipped 13,195 gauze dressings and 2874 muslin dressings, and now has made 1245 dressings ready for shipment. During December, the biggest month for this department, there were shipped \$747 dressings. The expenditures for this department have been \$733.

Splendid Enthusiasm

Miss Hazel Bemus, chairman of the committee upon Junior Red Cross work, reported that it is the aim of the Intermediate Juniors to do a different line of work than that done by the grown-ups. "It is especially working toward making baby's and children's clothing to be shipped to France. Many pieces of woolen garments, old sweaters—these and many other waste articles are being utilized. The children are being taught the idea of saving and thrifting, and at the same time are doing a useful, effective work."

Miss Bemus said that she hopes to be able soon to organize other schools into Junior auxiliaries. Under present rules one-fifth of the 25 cents per member need only be paid to get a charter, the rest to be paid one-fifth each month until paid.

To Make Boxes

Miss Bemus brought the offer of the boys of the Intermediate to make the packing boxes for the Red Cross. Upon the recommendation of Mrs. J. W. Tubbs, chairman of the packing and boxing committee, the offer was accepted. The work at the Intermediate will be done by the manual training department under the direction of A. M. Davis, in accordance with specifications.

The women at headquarters are satisfied from the letters they have received from San Francisco headquarters that Santa Ana's product has been found to be in such good shape that no further inspection need be made after the boxes leave here, and when packed in regulation boxes, as they will be from now on, garments and bandages made here will be forwarded through the San Francisco headquarters without re-packing. This speaks a great deal for the efficiency of the local organization.

Auxiliary Reports

Mrs. C. C. Violet was elected a member of the executive committee as a representative of the Garden Grove auxiliary.

The Seal Beach auxiliary reported that it had received thirteen new members and has \$245 on hand. Mrs. St. John has been elected vice president to succeed Mrs. Lothian, who is ill.

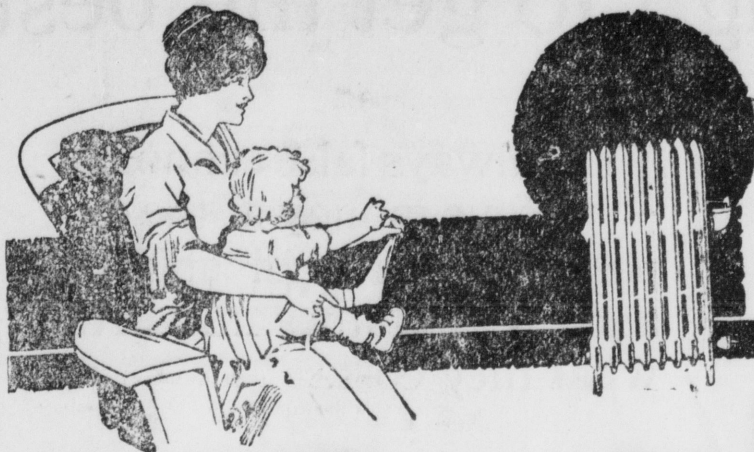
For El Toro auxiliary, Mrs. L. F. Moulton stated that the auxiliary now has fifty members, of whom fourteen are new, and has \$157.75 cash.

Mrs. Claude Congdon for San Juan Capistrano reported work there progressing satisfactorily.

To Send Fruit

Mrs. W. E. Otis for the North Side Club stated that one shipment of fruit to the Camp Kearny hospitals had been made and another box may be sent soon.

An offer of a horse and buggy was made by a patriotic member from



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Radiantfire Place

—The Radiantfire Place is a practical as well as very ornamental heater. It is used for parlors and dining rooms. Let us show it to you.

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A change of policy in the management of this high-quality, sanitary market now places us in position to go into the open market and buy the choice of meats offered by all the packing houses, instead of just one, as formerly.

As you probably know, most markets usually represent just one packing house and sell what that house produces. This gives them very little choice.

Our change of policy makes it possible for us to offer you meat of your own choice at your own price. In other words, we now carry everything from the cheaper cuts to the very choicest prime cuts of steaks and beef.

Try us tomorrow and see for yourself just what this means.

West Fourth St. Market

A. F. PEEK, PROP.
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Laguna Beach. The matter was referred to Mrs. Ed Tedford to express the appreciation of the chapter.

A proposal to have each Red Cross cloth stamp placed upon each hospital garment, also bear the name "Santa Ana, Cal.," or the name of the town of an auxiliary was referred to Mrs. Gustlin.

Report Tales

"We have been requested by H. R. Johnson of the Los Angeles headquarters, corner Tenth and Main streets, Los Angeles, to report to him in as much detail as possible, giving the name of the person doing the telling, all instances of anti-Red Cross stories," said T. E. Stephenson, president of the Santa Ana Red Cross.

"These stories are originated maliciously and are often repeated by friends of the Red Cross who do not know how groundless they are or how damaging they may be. Our investigations in Santa Ana have convinced us of one thing. That is, those who seem to take the greatest joy in repeating these anti-Red Cross stories are people who are not members of the Red Cross, never gave any money to the war fund and have given none of their time to the work."

"It seems to me to be in mighty poor taste for such people to criticize the Red Cross. If the whole Red Cross organization went amiss, none of their money would be included. We have found that the people who are actually giving their time and money to help out the Red Cross are satisfied. It is those who are taking no part in the work who are trying to bolster up these Red Cross stories, which are told all over the United States with such a remarkable similarity in detail that the stories alone condemn themselves."

"It is Mr. Johnson's purpose to take these stories up and turn the names of the persons responsible for repeating them over to the Department of Justice."

Among donations recently received was \$5 from Charles Kendall, who won the money in the competition for the naming of the proposed new hotel.

ARIZONA LAW UPHELD

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 4.—The blue sky law of Arizona was upheld this afternoon in the United States court here and a plea for an injunction by "W. S. Lowe, attorney, and J. E. Morrison of Phoenix, against the state officials" was denied.

Phone Our Secretary

For a Contractor, Electrician, Painter, Plumber, Plasterer, Brick Layer, Cement Worker

No matter how small a repair job or how large a building you are contemplating, always phone the secretary of this association for a contractor or a repair man. When you do that, this whole organization, comprising all the reliable business houses and contractors of Orange county, guarantees the quality of work done. It stands behind every member of this association and makes good all contracts.

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NO MYSTERY ABOUT THE SUGAR SHORTAGE

The only strange thing about the sugar scarcity is that anybody should have been surprised at it. There was no reason why any well informed person should have expected anything else. The statement recently made by Mr. Hoover, while giving details not generally known, have had nothing essentially new in them.

Early in the fall the public was notified that France was entirely without sugar, and that she would remain without unless the United States shared its supply with her. The minimum quality needed to carry the French people to the end of the year was estimated at 100,000 tons. That estimate was based on their consumption of one ounce a day per capita. Inasmuch as our ordinary consumption is four ounces a day, it was felt by our government that we could, and should, save one-fourth of our supply and let France have it. And the public, in so far as it paid any attention at all to the matter, appeared willing and glad to make this slight sacrifice.

The food administration then proceeded to send to France the sugar it needed, taking care also, as well as it could, of England and other Allies whose supplies were far shorter than ours. Since August, Mr. Hoover says, we have exported to our Allies altogether a little more than 110,000 tons of refined sugar. About 250,000 tons of raw sugar have gone to them from Cuba.

That, of course, is the reason why we have been short of sugar. Even so, we should not have expected the shortage we have, if we had done our part and saved the ounce a day apiece. It appears that the majority of Americans have really paid little attention to the matter. They have eaten sugar about as usual, whenever it was obtainable, and kicked when it wasn't.

It's time to stop kicking, to acquiesce in the situation, to face the fact that there isn't sugar enough being made in the world now for everybody to go on eating it as usual, that our Allies want far less than we do, and won't get that unless we are generous and thoughtful enough to save for them a little of our comparative plenty.

NO MORE FRATERNIZING

Those who have read books of trench life written by Englishmen and Frenchmen may remember the glow of unexpected pleasure with which they learned of the fraternizing of foes on Christmas day. Bruce Bairnsfather, the English artist-officer, famous for his kindly, humorous "Fragments from France," has told of the English and Germans from front line trenches getting together in No Man's Land, exchanging presents, taking each other's photographs, singing songs, etc., in a celebration really worthy of Christmas.

But that was the first Christmas of the war. There was less fraternizing the second Christmas. This time, the reports say, there was none at all. Here and there Germans made hesitant advance, but in every case they met stony silence or derision. Why? Tommy learns. He adapts himself to facts. "The Germans' methods of warfare," the dispatches explained, "have wholly destroyed any tendencies of that sort among the Britons."

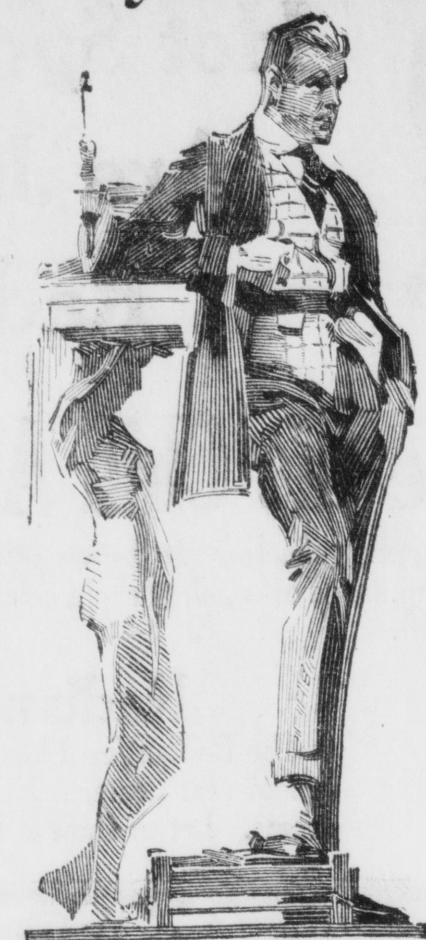
Prussian military efficiency has destroyed the Christmas spirit, just as it has destroyed so many other fine, humane, decent things wherever its blighting hand has fallen.

PASS THE SPUDS

Hotels and restaurants in California are urged by the State Council of Defense to encourage the consumption of potatoes during the present month. The State Council requests that potatoes be featured on the menu and that no meal be served without this vegetable as one of the dishes. By actual count there are 217 different ways of preparing potatoes and there is no lack of variety. Potatoes can be served in every course from soup to desert.

During the past season the farmers

Pay enough to get the best



IT'S always false economy to save money at the expense of personal appearance; good clothes are worth what they cost.

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Bud Flivver's Observations

*** Percy Dummerly—Is a long geared—Awkward guy—

Who prides himself—That he is—A self made man—

*** And he has—Long had ambition—To break into—The

society set—

*** But nobody—Seemed to realize—That Percy would be

—A valuable addition—To the "Four Hundred"—Of the city—

*** And one day—Because he was a member—Of the same

church—He got a printed invitation—From Mr. and Mrs. Alex-

ander Dunbar-Tuston—To attend a party—At their home—

*** And Percy went to the bank—And drew out—Enough

money—To buy a swell—Dress suit—

*** And he was in—The seventh—Stage of Heaven—When

he alighted—From a jitney—In front of the great mansion—

*** And he assumed—A haughty swagger—As he strutted

up—To the front door—And bowed in—With a bunch of swells—

*** And everybody was dressed—In everyday clothes—Or

us reporters—Couldn't have been there—

*** And when Percy—Took off his overcoat—One of the

ladies—That seemed to be in authority—Looked shocked—

*** And she went to Percy—And said—"You shouldn't have

—Come in the front door—Come this way, please—"

*** And she led him—Into the dining room—And closed the

door—And I wondered why—She was going to—Feed Percy so

soon—

*** And pretty soon—He stuck his head—Through the door

—And motioned for me—To come to him—

*** And he pulled me—Through the door—And shut it—

And he seemed all—Sorta het up—

*** And he told me—He had worked his way—Through

School—And he asked me—Would he have to—Work his way—

Through society—

*** And I asked him—H hadn't he noticed—In the corner—

Of his invitation—Where it said—This was a—War time party—

And to wear—Everyday working clothes—

*** And he said he had been—So flabbergasted—About the

invitation—That he hadn't noticed—What it said—

*** And just then—The head waiter—Dressed like Percy—

Came up—And told him—What table he—Should serve at—

*** And I was just thinking—That it is better—To ask

questions—Before you go—To a society function—Than after you

get there—By Bud.

THIRD LIBERTY LOAN CAMPAIGN WILL OPEN FEB. 15, ANNOUNCED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The third Liberty loan campaign will be opened February 15, it was learned today. What amount is to be raised in this third drive could not be ascertained.

Extensive preparations for advertising and distributing the bonds were nearing completion. Numbers of striking new posters, notably one by Howard Chandler Christy, were being prepared.

Secretary McAdoo will give all of his time to railroad work until February 1, when he will turn to direct charge of the next loan campaign.

FOUNDRYMEN'S STRIKE IN BAY CITY AT END

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—Through an agreement by which the employers granted a 10 per cent wage increase and men made other concessions, the foundrymen's strike which has been in progress here for nearly two weeks ended today. Under the terms of settlement the men promise to cooperate with the foundry operators in increasing production to supply the nation's war needs and to accept settlement of future differences without strikes.

Register ads are the best

BEEF ARRIVES FROM CHINA

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4.—One million pounds of Chinese beef—the first large importation of meat from China—was safely stored away here today for use by the army.

The beef came from the Philippines. It had been shipped from China to supply the American island forces, but it was found that the island was overstocked.

John Wesley Hancock, Optometrist, near P. O., holds record of highest grades ever made in California.

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The first of the famous Fox-Sunshine Comedies.

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Can you imagine anything more funny than to see two darkies asleep in bed and then a real live lion climbing into bed alongside of them. Well, to see those two smiling, sleeping darkies gradually wake up and see this big lion and then to watch their expression of horror and see their faces turn snow white, is truly the funniest thing you could ever witness—be sure and see this at

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TONIGHT AND BALANCE OF THIS WEEK.

Owing to a mistake of a shipping clerk in Los Angeles we wish to state that the reel which was shown here on New Year's night was a picture of last year's parade, but the one we showed last night and the balance of this week is the parade which took place day before yesterday.

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TONIGHT

WILLIAM DUNCAN
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SOCIETY

Mrs. Olive Lopez, Ed.

DOINGS OF CLUBS
& PERSONALS

ADOPTS CONSTITUTION

Santa Ana Art Guild Plans
Fine Spring Exhibit, Artists to Co-operate

The Santa Ana Art Guild met yesterday at the home of Miss Ava Wells. A constitution was adopted and Miss Beulah May chosen as leader.

In the short time in which it has been organized, the Guild has gained recognition by the museum authorities at Exposition Park, Los Angeles, and has been promised the co-operation of some of the finest artists of Southern California for its spring exhibit.

This exhibit, to be shown sometime in May, will undoubtedly be the finest of its kind ever held in Santa Ana.

Was Ebell Guest

Mrs. W. L. Grubb, president of the Santa Ana Ebell, was yesterday a guest of the Los Angeles Ebell at a very interesting meeting of the social science department, a lecture being given by Dr. Lula Peters on the subject of "Food With Relation to Weight."

Later a delightful luncheon was given in honor of the presidents of the various Ebell societies of the south, covers being laid for eight.

Mrs. Josiah Evans Cole, president of the National Woman's Federation, was present and gave a very stirring message to club women. She urged that all should lead a sane life and instead of making great and thrilling sacrifices, keep the home and club life as nearly normal as possible.

Dr. Hancock wants hard cases.

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Store No. 4, 301-303 West Fourth.
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Ben Hur Coffee, 1 lb. can	35c
3 lb. can	95c
M. J. B. Coffee, 1 lb. can	35c
3 lb. can	95c
Pleasant Coffee, 1 lb. can	35c
3 lb. can	95c
Magnolia Coffee, 1 lb. foil lined	22c
bags, each	22c
Sun Ripe Rolled Oats, small	12c
package	12c
Large package	28c
Sun Ripe Pancake Flour, pkg.	14c
Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour,	13c
per pkg.	13c
Roman Meal, per pkg.	27c
Roller Oats, pure, bulk, 4 lbs.	25c
Roller Wheat Flakes, pure,	25c
4 lbs.	25c
Eastern Buckwheat, pure, lb.	9c
Dromedary Dates, per pkg.	18c
Dromedary Shredded Coconut,	14c
1/4 lb. 10c; 1/2 lb. 20c, 1 lb. 40c	
Angelus Seeded Raisins, pkg.	10c
Albers Ripe Olives, per can	10c
Clan Castle Ripe Olives,	20c
quart can	20c
Golden State Salad Oil, large	35c
bottle	35c
Quail Hominy, No. 2 1/2 can	10c
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3 sacks White Mountain Salt	10c
HILLS QUALITY BREAD,	
24 oz. loaf	10c

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CALIFORNIA'S DRAWBACK

California has a drawback—yes, one that's rather strong—I dislike to be a groucher with a kick.

So I came out here to cure it, and it did not take me long.

For the climate did the business pretty quick.

Of course, we have sweet flowers here a-blooming all the time.

With entertainments—just your kind, my dear.

But the drawback I refer to, which seems to fit the climate.

Is objected to back East much more than here.

Oh, the lures that draw and the charms that hold!

They keep you here to live while life shall last.

You may wander off some day to visit friends of old—

But the "draw" will bring you back and bind you fast.

—Frank L. Kern.

PLEASANT RECEPTION

Mrs. F. E. Farnsworth Invites
Ladies to Meet Mr. and Mrs. Biederwolf

A very delightful and informal reception was given this morning at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Farnsworth on North Broadway and about forty, mostly ladies, gathered to meet informally Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Biederwolf.

Poinsettias artistically arranged added to the beauty of the home and Rev. J. A. Stevenson pleasantly introduced the evangelist and his charming wife.

Messrs. James Heaton and Henry Bachmeyer sang some sweet songs and Dr. Biederwolf made a brief talk to the guests on "Life." Life can be made what each person wishes, was impressed upon his hearers, each one being able to select his mode of living and making the most of it.

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Mrs. Brown Here

Mrs. J. B. Brown of Sacramento, formerly Miss Glendora Doty of this city, is at home with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Gerken, at 302 Baker street. Her husband, Lieut. J. Burdette Brown, who holds the commission of First Lieutenant Engineers U. S. R., has been called to active duty and is on his way to a training camp in the far east.

Mrs. Brown was formerly a teacher in the Santa Ana city schools. She, with her little son, J. Burdette, Jr., will make her home here indefinitely.

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D. A. R. Meeting

The Daughters of the American Revolution will hold a meeting with Mrs. George Balderston at 221 South Main street, tomorrow afternoon.

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NEW YEAR'S MEETING

O. P. Q. Club Members Cleverly
Entertained By Mrs.
W. A. Lowman

One of the most enjoyable and cleverly planned New Year's gatherings was held yesterday afternoon at the cozy home of Mrs. W. A. Lowman on South Broadway, when she entertained the O. P. Q. club.

The home was bright with velvety poinsettias and a cheery fire took away the chill from a gray day out of doors.

Knitting, crocheting and jolly chat passed the time, New Year's greetings in the shape of checks for 365 days of happiness being distributed by tiny Eleanor Mitchell in a white newsboy's suit and jaunty cap. A perky little kewpie hung from the chandelier, representing the little New Year.

A delicious three course collation was served in the dining room, the table being centered with a beautiful cut glass bowl filled with sweet-scented violets and ferns, with a single crimson rose in the center, from which extended purple ribbons to each cover to the pretty place cards, which bore New Year jingles for each member.

On the back of her card each lady wrote a New Year resolution. Mrs. Charles Johnson receiving a prize of a dainty crepe de chine handkerchief for making the resolution most difficult to keep, while for the easiest resolution, Mrs. Charles Winans was awarded a handpainted set of salt shakers.

Those participating in the joys of the afternoon were Meses. Charles Johnson, Harry Lash, D. W. Hamilton, G. B. Darnell, H. O. Garlock, Charles Winans, Charles Mitchell, Frank Cannon.

NURSES MEET

Give \$50 to Red Cross, Welcome Bride and Shower Her With Gifts

At the regular meeting yesterday afternoon of the Santa Ana Hospital Nurses' Association, it was decided at the business session to give \$50 to the Red Cross.

The meeting was held in the cozy nurses' home, which was very effectively decorated with holly and potted ferns.

Officers were nominated and will be elected at the next meeting of the association.

Eighteen were present, including Mrs. L. Bartell, formerly Miss Mollie Kozina, who is here on her honeymoon. She was given a hearty greeting and showered with miscellaneous gifts.

Mr. Bartell was invited for refreshments, which consisted of fruit salad, sandwiches and chocolate. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bartell hold positions in the Sonoma state school at Eldridge.

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SURPRISE SHOWER

Mrs. L. B. Butterfield Visited
Last Night by Members
Chatt 'N Seau Club

A very delightful surprise shower was given Mrs. Luie B. Butterfield, until recently Miss Edna Meyer, at her home on North Main street last night by the members of the Chatt 'N Seau club and her long-time friends.

The home was as usual bright with lovely roses and Mrs. Butterfield expected a call from two of the girls who followed her into the kitchen upon their arrival, permitting time for the others to quietly enter and sit unconcernedly in the reception room.

Mysterious looking packages were piled upon the table and the surprised hostess greatly enjoyed opening them and appreciating the gifts of silver, glass, linen and pyrex ware.

The evening was passed with chatting, knitting and sewing and dainty refreshments, provided by the self-invited guests, were enjoyed.

Besides Mrs. Butterfield there were present Misses Irene Craemer, Arlie

Cravath, Alice Huntington, Emily Lykke, Helene McNeill, Grace White, Gertrude Potts, Hattie Powers; Meses. Leonard Harvey and Harvey Gardner.

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Jolly Times Club

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DAMAGE DONE TO CAR

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to tender our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors, who through their many acts of kindness and words of sympathy lightened our burdens in our recent bereavement, the loss of our dear wife and mother.

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Personals

Miss Katherine Smiley, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smiley, at West Orange, left today for Vitall, Mont.

Miss Esther Van Hyning has returned to Sawyer's School of Secretaries, after a two weeks' vacation.

Sergeant Eugene Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Robinson returned to Fort Rosecrans this morning after a visit with his parents. The young man is in the medical corps.

Fred H. Eley was a morning passenger to Los Angeles.

Mrs. W. I. Stewart returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit with her sister at Santa Barbara.

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Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—Extra fine Valencia trees, year and a half old, five-eighths to an inch, sour root, high buds, clean, straight, thrifty, splendid root system, not fertilized, splendid soil for balling. Inspection invited. S. R. Coate, 564 So. Los Angeles St., Anaheim, Sunset 403-J.

FOR SALE—6-room furnished house and corner lot, lawn, shade and fruit trees. Inquire 119 French. No agents.

WANTED HOME—Who will give a kind, gentle mare, yet able to do lots of work, a good home? Address A. Box 32, care Register.

WANTED, POSITION—Japanese chauffeur; many years experience; careful driver; handy man for house or garden. George Tami, Route No. 9, Box 39, Santa Ana, Cal.

FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment, thoroughly modern; adults only. 607 East First St.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey heifers, 5 months old, both from 6-gal. cows, \$15 each. Inquire Hinkley Bros., store, Harper, Calif.

WANTED—Old horses past usefulness, \$2 and \$2.50 per head. Half mile south of Fifth and P. E. crossing in city limits, on McCarty ranch. Phone 437-12. Also, dead wagon sent on short notice for dead animals, \$2 per head.

WANTED—About \$12,000, at 6 per cent, on bearing Valencia grove and city property which I own. No commission. Principals only. Call at 564 So. Los Angeles St., Anaheim.

BABY CHICKS—Anyone interested in chickens, come and visit the Orange County Hatchery. See our large up-to-date hatchery and brooders, our thoroughbred laying strain of White Leghorns, our fancy dark strain Rhode Island Reds, and our small pen of prize-winning White Rocks.

We hatch baby chicks from our thoroughbred stock. All leading varieties baby chicks will be ready any time after January 15. Get your orders in now.

We also have setting eggs. If you have no brooders or time to care for baby chicks, we will brood them for you very reasonably. Orange County Hatchery, Harold C. Hebard, Prop., 403 East Santa Clara. Phone 313-J.

SPECIAL—New 30x3 Firestone tires, \$7.75.
419 East Fourth Street.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow, 6 years old, giving 4 gallons per day. Phone Smetzer 2266.

WANTED—To buy 80 acres of good Valencia land; Orange County preferred. S. R. Coate, 564 So. Los Angeles St., Anaheim. Pacific 403-J.

FOR SALE—My Overland roadster, in first-class condition, cheap. Call Sunday. Owner, 1016 West Fourth.

FOR SALE—21 acres bearing Valencia oranges, 6-room house, on 2602 Valencia St., Santa Ana, at a sacrifice. Owner cannot live there himself. A. J. Ludwig, Hynes, Cal.

WANTED—Young man wants work for afternoons. Phone 714-R2.

WANTED—By experienced married man, work on ranch and house for family. M. Milligan, General Delivery, Anaheim, Cal.

LOST—Three Yale lock keys on short chain. Please return to 203 Orange Ave. or Phone 1091-W.

FOR SALE—Two 5-passenger Buicks, model "C" 37, in A-1 condition. Orange County Garage Co., 405-407 East Fourth St.

FOR SALE—6-weeks-old thoroughbred Angora kittens; male, \$5; female, \$2. 319 E. Washington Ave.

FOR SALE—To move, a 7-room house and small barn. John Dunstan, Phone Sunset 433-R2.

FOR SALE—Gas range, heating stove, chickens and ducks. R. S. Thompson, 505 East Washington.

FOR RENT—5-room house, modern, with garage; close in, 315 Hickey St. Inquire 317 Hickey.

ESTRAY NOTICE

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SOLDIER BOYS WANT
SCIENTIFIC BOOKS

Scientific and short story magazines and books of fiction are what the soldier boys at Camp Kearny want for their library, according to E. S. Morrow, who was at Camp New Year's and left a number of story books.

The Saturday Evening Post can be bought by the boys while it is fresh and it is a waste of time for anyone to send old issues to the camp.

The camp is establishing a splendid library and good story books will be most welcome. Journals for women are of little interest to the boys, according to the statement of one of the men in the library to Morrow.

Books in English descriptive of France or any of the foreign countries now at war also are in demand.

MERCHANTS ANNUAL
BANQUET IS MONDAY

The "Dollar if you don't eat and nothing if you eat plan" of Secretary Metzgar of the Merchants and Manufacturers Association is meeting with the approval of the members and practically every one is buying tickets for the big feed.

The tickets are being sold at \$1 each and if the purchaser attends the banquet and presents the ticket his money is refunded. If he loses the ticket and attends the meeting, he is out \$1.

AUTOS ARE NOT AWARE
CANYON ROAD CLOSED

County Surveyor McBride states that a good many automobilists are still unaware that the Santa Ana canyon road is closed. He said that every day several machines have to be turned back. One man took down a barricade, ignored a sign, and ran two or three miles up the canyon, and was angry because he could not get through. McBride says that it is useless for automobilists to try to get through the canyon.

MAN WITH WIFE NOT TO REPORT IF INCOME IS UNDER \$2000

Federal Inspector Cornelius
Clears Up Some of the
Tax Points

"The married man with an income of less than \$2000 does not have to make a report," declared W. A. Cornelius, Federal tax inspector, who is stationed at the Santa Ana courthouse from now until February 13.

"The report that every man, whether married or not, has to make a report if his income is over \$1000 is not correct. Every unmarried man whose income is over \$1000 must report. Every married man whose income is over \$2000 must report. The married man with less than \$2000 income need not report."

This morning Cornelius had a number of visitors, some of whom filed out their statements and mailed them. Others merely secured information, and will make out their statements later.

"The Federal Government is allowing a discount of 3 per cent for cash," said Cornelius. "These taxes go delinquent on June 15. The discount will be figured in accordance with the time of payment."

"There are a number of fine points that will need explanation. The man who has a building that he is renting

out has a right to allow for depreciation, by deducting each year the proper proportion of the cost of the building. Suppose the natural life of the building is estimated to be fifty years. He can deduct each year 2 per cent, and write that off of his income for that year."

Cornelius has not yet received blanks for statements upon incomes that are over \$5000.

Cornelius' hours at the office at the courthouse will be from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

Blanks for statements will be mailed to those making the request.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ASKS THAT PUBLIC HEARING BE GIVEN

Yesterday the Board of Supervisors, upon the suggestion of Attorney Clyde Bishop, passed a resolution urging that a public hearing be given in Washington before the Army Engineers upon the report upon Newport Harbor that is to be filed by Capt. Leeds. It is Bishop's plan to have United States Senators Phelan and Johnson and Congressman Kettner present at that hearing, as well as representatives from this county.

Hearing is set

The hearing of the Crown Stage petition for permission to run a line from Garden Grove to its Santa Ana line was set for Jan. 15.

Supervisor Finley and Surveyor McBride were appointed as a committee to provide for an extension of a culvert concerned in the Santa Ana canyon road paving.

The sum of \$125 was appropriated for work to be done to protect roads at Old Newport from damage by storm waters.

Dr. Macmill, Osteopath, phone 956W

COAL SITUATION IS CRITICAL AS MERCURY IN EAST DROPS

Suffering Increased and All
Traffic Tied Up By Severe
Winter Weather

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Temperatures along the Atlantic seaboard dropped again today and with it coal conditions in New York became critical. The thermometer touched two below zero early today. The coal situation is far from relieved. Long lines of shivering men and women stood at coal yards begging for coal. It wasn't to be had.

The harbor and the rivers were jammed with ice. The Navy Department was appealed to an effort to break the jam. Tugs and other small boats have been working constantly, endeavoring to break up the ice and release frozen-in coal barges, but with little result.

The fire department is being worked to the point of exhaustion, fighting blazes in the below zero weather. During last night, when nine fires were under way, two big water mains burst from the increased pressure necessary. The basement of the Postal Telegraph Company building was flooded and the telegraph company put out of business for several hours. Thirty-one schools are now closed and there is no prospect of their being re-opened soon.

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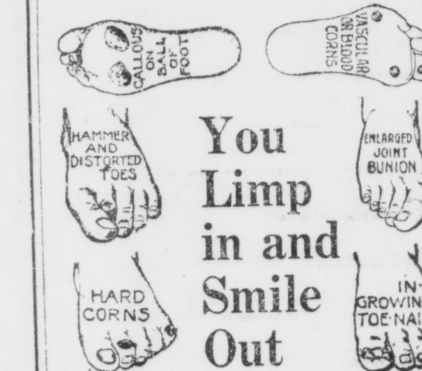
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You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have a bad cold.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartics pills or castor oil?

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular, and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.—Adv.



Dr. George P. Collier will be at our store for a few days. Dr. Collier is the manufacturer of the Collier Corn and Bunions Shields. As we have had Collier Shields for sale for the past seven years I can say they give good satisfaction. The Doctor will give sample corn shields and teach people how to use them, free.

Dr. Collier is licensed by the State Medical Board of California. He has practiced chiropody for the past 30 years and while he is with us he will treat corns, bunions and inverted nails and scientifically fit arch supports to those who need them. Charges reasonable, consultation free.

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Hotels jammed
Hotels are jammed with families unable to heat their homes or apartments. Thousands of oil and gas stoves have been purchased. Train service is completely demoralized and little freight is being moved.

New Jersey towns are not only without coal but there is a near gas, oil and water famine. Charitable organizations in New York are swamped with appeals for aid. The constant cry is for coal.

Additional steel boats were requisitioned by A. H. Smith, director of railroads for the eastern district, today to smash up the ice jams to release some of the ice-locked coal.

Shipping is practically tied up by the cold and coal shortage. There are 101 vessels in port unable to leave because of lack of coal. Meantime freight is piling high on docks and piers.

AT THE COURTHOUSE PRICE OF BEANS IS INVOLVED IN BANKRUPTCY

Fullerton Man Let Judgments
Go Against Him Without
Making Fight

By default of the defendants two judgments are to be entered in the superior court in favor of the Hogue-Kellogg Co. against W. M. Silva, a packer of Fullerton. In one case the plaintiff asks for judgment of \$3798 and in the other for \$6000. In each case the cause of action was based upon the fact that Silva contracted months ago to deliver beans to the plaintiff. Silva was unable to deliver the beans, which have gone up double the price of last February. Silva has recently filed a petition in bankruptcy, and the judgments secured by the Hogue-Kellogg Co. will have to go pro rata with other creditors' claims. It seems probable that the impending judgments caused the filing of the petition in bankruptcy.

Cases set for trial today by Judge West are: Chamberlain vs. Chamberlain, Feb. 28; Baker vs. P. E. and Coultas vs. P. E., April 2; P. E. vs. Santa Ana Savings Bank, March 13; P. E. vs. Holmes Loan & Realty Co., March 20.

Sues For Divorce
Ira Haapaniemi has brought suit for divorce against Frank Haapaniemi. W. F. Heathman is attorney for the plaintiff.

Found Not Guilty, But—
Yesterday the jury that tried Ramon Torres, Antonio Gonzales and Francisco Bargas brought in a verdict of not guilty. They were charged with the robbery of Jose Estrada at Talbert. After the jury passed out, Judge West said to the three defendants that while the jury had found the men not guilty he wanted to say to them that if they were ever arrested again upon such a charge and were convicted they might get a sentence as high as life imprisonment.

TAKING NAMES OF THE VOTERS

County Clerk Appoints Deputies
For Making the 1918
Registration

Registration of voters for the 1918 Great Register has commenced. County Clerk N. T. Edwards has appointed a number of deputies, who are now registering voters. Nearly all of these deputies served two years ago and are familiar with the work.

The registration department at the courthouse has been assigned by Clerk Edwards to Miss Myrtle Meyer, one of the office deputies.

Registration clerks appointed are as follows:

Santa Ana—G. B. Brown, Olive Lopez, G. E. Robinson, F. H. Snyder, J. W. Walton, E. L. Vegely, E. W. Hardy, Mildred C. Dutton, Gertrude Eastman, Wm. Kelly.

El Toro—Rose Adkinson, A. W. Thompson.

La Habra—Olive J. Aldrich, E. E. Proud.

Garden Grove—Maud Aronhalt.

Westminster—G. C. Abbott.

Orange—J. P. Boring, Ellen Fullerton, Laura Grumm, Effie Whitney, W. M. Whitney.

Seal Beach—C. W. Bowditch.

Huntington Beach—Ned Brown, E. R. Bradbury, G. O. Franklin, R. L. Oharr, C. W. Warner.

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SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, FRIDAY EVENING, JANUARY 4, 1918.

News and Comment
 Edited by Miss Stone

Tustin Department

What the Merchants
 Have to Offer You

MONTHLY SOCIAL OF BEREANS AT MRS. EBEL'S RESIDENCE

Warm Discussion Follows
 Proposal to Do Away
 With Refreshments

The monthly business and social meeting of the Presbyterian Berean Bible Class was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. H. Ebel.

The meeting opened with the usual song service and devotional exercises, with the president, Mrs. A. D. Turner, in the chair.

A rather warm discussion followed a motion to do entirely without refreshments at the monthly meetings. It was argued that as there are so many people starving in the world and as many other clubs and societies are doing away with refreshments, it would be becoming in the Bible Class to do the same. On the other hand, some thought that as light refreshments make a pleasant break in an afternoon of business, interest in the meetings is promoted and sociability is encouraged by the little things which make a meeting pleasant and that the hungry ones could scarcely be benefited by the small sum expended. The vote was taken and the majority voted to follow the example of the other societies and do away with refreshments after the fiscal year.

Motion to donate \$5 to the Armenian fund was carried.

One of the teachers, Mrs. Effie Slusser, was present and laid before the ladies a plan to interest the school children in doing some work for little destitute babies across the water. It was proposed that instead of girls in the sewing class making garments for themselves, they make these articles for little babies out of material new or old, and good, furnished by charitable persons.

Motion carried to aid Mrs. Slusser in this plan in every way possible. After the close of the business meeting, the hostess produced a newspaper clipping which contained a story both amusing to a high degree and also instructive. This was read to the ladies to their great amusement while refreshments were being served consisting of fruit and nut gelatine, chocolate, cake and coconut wafers. During the afternoon a number of the ladies were busily engaged in Red Cross knitting.

Mrs. Ann Swartz is visiting friends in Los Angeles this week.

FAMILY REUNION HELD AT WM. COLLAR HOME

An enjoyable family reunion and Christmas celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Collar. The guests from the East were Mrs. Charles Little, sister of Mrs. Collar, and son Glen, from Tippecanoe, Iowa; Miss Martha Collar, Mrs. Ann Collar and William and Ward Collar of El Monte and Mrs. W. A. Stafford and children.

The family party visited Pasadena on Monday for several days' visit with relatives and a visit to the Rose Tournament.

TUSTIN LITERARY SECTION
 The members of the Tustin Literary Section will hold their monthly meeting with Miss Minnie C. Childs next Tuesday afternoon.

TUSTIN PEOPLE AID IN BIEDERWOLF TRIP THROUGHOUT COUNTY

A party of Tustin people gave most of the day last Monday to a trip through the towns of the county with Evangelist Biederwolf and his party. Arriving in Tustin at 9:30, accompanied by his singers and chorus choir, a good many people were in the public square to hear the short address, the beautiful song sung by director James Heaton and Henry Bachemeyer, tenor singer, all joining in the chorus singing which sounded good on the morning air.

Taking their automobiles, which then numbered about thirty, decorated in flags, one decorated with flowers was given a place of honor, they visited in like manner El Modena, Olive, Placentia, Orange, Anaheim, Fullerton, where there was a stop for luncheon, and then to Buena Park and Garden Grove. At each place Rev. Biederwolf was introduced by the different local pastors and gave a short talk. Those who listened enjoyed the beautiful duets of the beautiful tenor and baritone voices.

The evangelistic services at the tabernacle were advertised and the people of the county invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mitchell, daughter Miss Florence Mitchell, and son Willis, were members of a party attending the Rose Tournament and football game at Pasadena on New Year's day. Willis Mitchell was released from naval duties at San Pedro for the day.

James Irvine and family were visitors at the Rose Tournament on Tuesday and attended the grand ball at Hotel Maryland in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kenyon and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Alderman were visitors to the Rose Tournament at Pasadena on New Year's day.

VESPER SERVICE SUNDAY PROVES HELPFUL AND INTERESTING

Tustin Choir Assisted by
 Santa Ana Singers Gives
 Fine Program

The vesper services held last Sunday afternoon at the Tustin Presbyterian church were well attended in spite of the balmy afternoon and many attractions outside.

The choir of the Tustin church was assisted by members of the Santa Ana Congregational church choir, Mrs. Slabaugh of that church being director of the Tustin choir. She was accompanied by Maurice Phillips, Mrs. Neff and Mr. Ciherson.

There was chorus singing by the two choirs, solos were sung by Mrs. Slabaugh and Mr. Phillips and a sacred cantata was given by the Tustin choir.

The church had been decorated with beautiful holly and handsome poinsettias, and Christmas Sunday had been observed throughout the service of the day.

The vesper service opened with singing by all the congregation, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." The church was darkened and the song thrown upon the stereopticon screen.

A short address was delivered by Rev. P. F. Schrock, who illustrated the importance of always keeping in touch with the source of the Christmas spirit by an interesting story.

The services closed after the congregation singing "Holy Night," which was thrown upon the screen.

CHURCH NOTICES

Tustin Advent Christian
 Sunday, January 6, 1918.
 Sunday School 9:45. No services at 11 o'clock.

Those who cannot attend the conference of Advent Christian churches in Los Angeles, now in session, are invited to join the evangelistic services at the tabernacle in Santa Ana.

Church Notice
PRESBYTERIAN: Sunday school, 9:45; morning service, 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor, 6 p. m.; evening service at the tabernacle, Santa Ana.

MORNING PRAYER MEETINGS
 The morning prayer meetings to be held in Tustin this week will be at the home of Mrs. Morgan Page on Wednesday morning, 9:30, and at Mrs. J. H. Brown's home on Friday morning at 9:30.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OF W. C. T. U. MEETS AT TUSTIN ON THURSDAY

The executive committee of the Orange County W. C. T. U. will hold an all-day meeting in Tustin on Thursday of this week, beginning at 10 a. m. The members of the Tustin W. C. T. U. are invited to attend the sessions of the executive committee instead of holding their regular meeting in the afternoon.

SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY
 The holiday season for the Tustin grammar school closes this week and the school will open Monday morning. The new janitor has not yet been chosen, but one is in prospect after further investigation.

FRIENDS MAKE QUILT FOR RECENT BRIDE

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Christensen was the scene of a pleasant event on Thursday in the way of a quilting bee. Friends joined with Mrs. Christensen in making a beautiful new quilt for her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bryan Christensen.

Preparations for the quilting were completed in the morning and at the noon hour the guests were seated at a table decorated in patriotic colors upon which a toothsome hot dinner was served. The flowers used in the red, white and blue were white lilies, red geraniums and blue cornflowers.

In the afternoon the quilt was entirely finished and presented to the one for whom it was made. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alf Smith, Berrydale; Mrs. M. Gieshull, Santa Ana; Mrs. Rounds, Santa Ana; Miss Dahl and Miss Charty of Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Christensen were guests of Mrs. T. C. Natland at Garden Grove on New Year's day.

Farm Adviser Smith of Fresno
 County is urging more general planting of shade trees along the state highways.

County Commissioner Collins of Tulare is urging immediate spraying of peach trees which have shown any indication of blight.

The navel orange section of Tulare county is now shipping oranges which stand up to the eight to one test. The crop is less than 50 per cent of normal.

The California Peach Growers, Inc., has made definite plans for building a new packing plant at Hanford.

Grape growers at Cloverdale, Sonoma county, have contracted their 1918 wine grapes for \$35 per ton.

Manteca, Stanislaus county, gets a new tomato cannery which will be built at a cost of \$50,000.

BUSINESS FIRMS CONSOLIDATE AT TUSTIN

Merger of Two Concerns Into
 One Large General Merchandise Store

On December 31 the goods of the two Tustin general stores of Sauers and Bergquist and Tustin Mercantile Company were merged under the firm name of Tustin Mercantile Company, Charles O. Artz, proprietor. The Sauers and Bergquist stock will be transferred to the upper store. This leaves Tustin at present with just one general merchandise store.

The interest in the Tustin Hardware Company owned by Charles Logan, who is now in training at Camp Lewis, has been purchased by his partner, Alton Alderman, who now has the whole interest in the store and intends to continue the business as heretofore upon methods which best further the interests of his patrons.

TUSTIN PERSONALS

The friends of L. A. Cock and family will be glad to learn that he is still improving and is now on the road to recovery from a recent severe attack of pneumonia.

Misses Estelle Nisson and Lura Tannesse, students at Stanford University, spent the Christmas holiday season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Nisson. Mr. and Mrs. Nisson, the two young ladies and Miss Gibson of Waco, Texas, attended the Tournament of Roses on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and little son Bobbie of Anaheim, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Crawford.

D. O. Crawford of Middletown, Iowa, arrived in Tustin last Sunday to visit his brothers, F. P. Crawford and T. J. Crawford, and their families.

Miss L. E. White and sister, Miss Hannah White, and Miss Agnes Cummins were visitors at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Brown during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Preble and family, Mrs. Effie Slusser, Mrs. C. E. Young and daughter, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Collar formed a party enjoying a delightful New Year day at Balboa.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Overton returned last week from a Christmas visit to San Diego and Camp Kearny. Mr. Overton immediately gave in his resignation as janitor of the Tustin school house and returned to Camp Kearny to engage in his trade as carpenter there.

Mrs. A. B. Murphy and son Maurice of Hemet, former residents of Tustin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Tingley Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bennett, Misses Wilhelmina and Mildred Bennett and Miss Pearl Ruby visited friends in Hollywood on New Year's day.

A. E. Bennett left Wednesday for a trip to San Francisco.

Everett L. Higgins was a recent purchaser of a handsome Dodge car.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Long spent New Year's day with Misses Louise Long and Ethel Doherty at their apartment in Los Angeles and were delightfully entertained at a sumptuous New Year's dinner.

Mrs. E. M. Haven and son will move to Santa Ana this week. Her address will be 1018 South Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowman and family were visitors to the Tournament of Roses on Tuesday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bowman at a delicious turkey dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poh and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stone spent three days in Yucaipa last week. They were visitors at the home of Philip Wick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Awe and family attended the Rose Tournament at Pasadena on Tuesday.

Miss Christine Bossow of Los Angeles was a guest of Mrs. C. L. Awe during Christmas week.

Mrs. John Norek and two sons, Geo. and Henry, of Long Beach, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown for several days in Christmas week.

Miss Ruth Rawlings, who is now teaching in Holtville, Imperial Valley, is with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Brown, for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Bessie Clark, who is teaching at San Luis Obispo this winter, is spending the Christmas holidays with her relatives, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. McDougall.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. McDougall and family, Miss Bessie Clark and Miss Lydia Gaebel attended the Rose Tournament on New Year's day and enjoyed a trip to Busch's Gardens and the beautiful Los Angeles suburbs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Marshall and Mrs. Frank Logan were among the visitors to Pasadena on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crawford were visitors at Pasadena on New Year's day.

To Our Friends and Patrons

We proffer our best wishes for the Holiday season, and hope you will have a

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Worth While Resolutions

Some one has said that the trouble with most resolutions is that they are not well thought out in advance.

If you will give sufficient advance thought to the question of opening a check account at this bank Jan. 1st, we know your resolution will stick—and that it will bring blessings untold during the whole of 1918.

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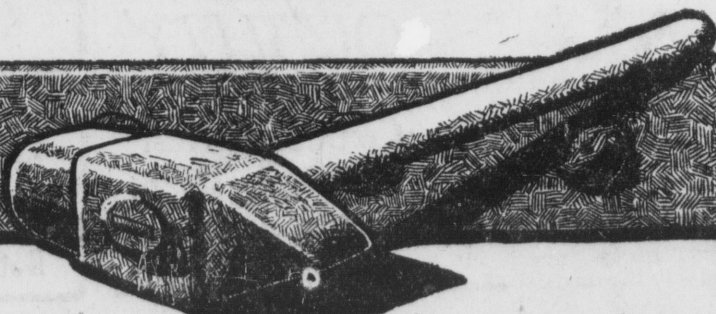
Facts, like rivets, hammered home hold fast.

When the body loses efficiency, it is time to remember that coffee drinking does hurt many.

Then is the time to change to the delicious cereal drink—

POSTUM

"There's a Reason"



WATCH OLD YEAR OUT, WELCOME NEW YEAR AT WINTERSBURG

Interesting Program Given
Monday Evening at M. E.
Church; Dedicate Flag

WINTERSBURG, Jan. 4.—Beginning at 8 o'clock Monday evening a patriotic program and watch right meeting was held at the local M. E. church. Following are the numbers of the program, which were given in a most entertaining manner: "America," prayer, pastor, Rev. M. Ross; "Battle Hymn of the Republic," recitation, "Land of the Pilgrim Fathers," Gertrude Sherritt; recitation, "American Flag," Esther Ross; song, "Faith of Our Fathers," reading, "President Wilson's appeal to Congress," Prof. E. S. Fringer; song to the flag, choir, reading, "The Attitude of the Church to the War," Paul Fringer; solo, "Keep the Home Fires Burning," Marie Fringer; address, "Dedicating the Service Flag," by the pastor. This flag, which was presented by the ladies of the church, bears fifteen stars, one for each of the boys of the Wintersburg community now doing service for their country in different parts of the world. Those upon this roll of honor are: Geo. Gothard, Jr., 40th Div. Headquarters, Troop, Nat'l Guard, Camp Kearny; Ray Shafer, 40th Div. Headquarters, Troop, Nat'l Guard, Camp Kearny; Eugene A. Fringer, Machine Gun Co., 364th Inf., Camp Lewis; E. H. Fringer, Camp Cady, Doming, N. M. (officers' training school); Lieut. E. S. Fringer, 22d Bat., A. I. S., somewhere in France (enlisted in British army in Australia); Keith DeLong, 34th Inf., Co. C, Camp Lewis; Roland T. Glines, Co. A, 316th Inf., Camp Lewis; Geo. A. McIndale, 9th Reg., F. A. H. 2 Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; Albert Isnor, Camp Lewis; Wayne Vandruft, Reg. Army, Tien Tsin, China; Lloyd Davis, Camp Hicks, Texas; Ralph L. Mallett, submarine training school, San Pedro, Cal.; Harry W. Letson, U.S.S. Pueblo, on the high seas; C. Stirling Ross, U.S.S. Rainbow, Mare Island; Wm. Kessman, aviation training school, Berkeley, Cal.

A pleasant social hour followed the dedication service which was completed by the hanging of this flag as a central figure surrounded by a number of other flags.

Tempting refreshments were served as the midnight hour approached and after bidding farewell to the old year and welcome to the new the personal farewells were said and the company departed for their homes.

Wintersburg Personal
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Houser entertained at New Year's dinner the lat-

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If complications exist, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for suggestions in regard to your ailment. The result of its long experience is at your service.

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30x3	\$ 8.50
30x3 1/2	10.95
32x3 1/2	13.55
31x4	17.10
33x4	18.15
34x4	19.15

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ter's brother, Richard Nankervis and family of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crane and family spent New Year's day in Pasadena.

Miss Ruth Jordan returned Sunday evening from her home at Redlands, where she passed the holidays. She came with the expectation of school opening Monday but it had been decided not to commence until Wednesday as the new year holiday would break into the week.

W. W. Blaylock and family are now domiciled in their new modern seven-room house, having moved in Wednesday of last week. The house is practically completed, only a small amount of finishing yet having to be done.

Miss Floate Crane and brother, S. J., spent Sunday night and Monday at the home of their sister, Mrs. Chas. Graham at Puente.

Geo. Gothard, Jr. of the motorcycle squad arrived from Camp Kearny Saturday evening to visit until Tuesday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gothard and family.

A son was born Monday morning, December 31, to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis.

Fred Beckwith, who began work last week in the Lylellyn iron works at Torrance, came home Monday morning to remain over New Year's with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blaylock and family visited Sunday at Chino and upon their return were accompanied by Miss Lois Burdick, who will spend a few days at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Dimock and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lewis spent Sunday in Los Angeles at the home of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruoff and family were the guests Sunday in Los Angeles of relatives. Normand Ruoff, who spent the holidays in the city, returned home with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruoff drove to Long Beach Thursday evening to take their friends, Mrs. Mason and son, who were their guests for several days, to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Draper and family motored Sunday to Arroyo, where they visited relatives. Upon their return they were accompanied by a niece, Viola Schonabel, who is a guest at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGurk and Miss Betty Murdy left Saturday for Atkins to remain over New Year's with their aunt, Mrs. Bell Puntener.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graham, Miss Ethel Graham and Miss Mabel Ulrich motored to Long Beach Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Pyle has had as her guest since Thursday of last week Mrs. D. D. Campbell of Huntington Beach. Mrs. Campbell's husband, Dee Campbell, who was raised in this community, is now in an army camp at Augusta, Ga. where he is with the signal corps as aviation mechanic. He was one of 250 men chosen from 45,000 for this promotion. Two Huntington Beach men, Marvin Weller and Glen Cole, also were chosen. Campbell left American Lake on December 15.

Miss Anna Kettler was a visitor Saturday and Sunday at the John Ketten home. She is of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Pyle and their guest, Mrs. D. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hazard, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Warner and Mr. and Mrs. Oral Hare of Westminster spent Sunday on a mail and rabbit hunt in Trabuca canyon.

Mrs. J. E. Miller is spending a few days with her son at Wintersburg before returning to the county hospital. She came last Friday upon returning from her husband's funeral. Mrs. Miller and her husband had both been at the hospital for some time preceding Mr. Miller's death.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ray Moore and family were in Pasadena for New Year's and attended the Tournament of Roses.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moore gave a belated Christmas dinner on Saturday evening, all of Mrs. Moore's children being present for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Collins, the latter a daughter of Mrs. Moore, had just arrived from Heber City, Utah, where they have resided for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Collins will locate in Southern California.

Ray Shafer arrived Saturday evening from Camp Kearny, where he is stationed, and remained over night, returning Sunday morning.

Misses Floate Crane, Ethel Morgan and Violet Schenle with Mrs. Stanley, principal of the Springdale school, went Thursday evening to Los Angeles, where they attended, at the Park Congregational Church, the wedding of Miss Henrietta King and Joseph Burgess. The marriage was of decided interest to this community, the bride having been the popular primary teacher at Springdale school until her resignation at the beginning of the holidays.

Mr. Austin of San Pedro visited Sunday at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Beckwith, and was accompanied home by his son, Freddie, who had spent several days at the Beckwith home.

Mrs. Sherritt's daughter, Mrs. Adeline, and family of Brawley; son, W. H. Sherritt, wife and two daughters of San Jose, and son, W. F. Sherritt, wife and daughter of Watsonville, left Thursday for their respective homes following a delightful family gathering of several days' duration at Mrs. Sherritt's home.

Miss Mabel Ulrich was among those in attendance at the Tournament of Roses at Pasadena New Year's day.

Miss Alva Harrison, who has accepted the position of primary teacher of Springdale school, arrived Tuesday from Los Angeles. Miss Harrison is staying at the A. Ruoff home.

The Ladies' Aid Society held its regular Friday afternoon meeting at the church and kept busily employed making trench candles for the Red Cross. These ladies expect soon to organize and have a Red Cross chapter here at Wintersburg and are soliciting members in advance. Fine progress has been made so far and there will be at least twenty names to go down on the roll to start with.

Wintersburg M. E. Church Services Sunday, January 6: 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., preaching service; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League; 7:30 p. m., preaching service; 7:15 p. m., Thursday, prayer meeting. Rev. M. Ross, pastor.

\$25 REWARD

For the arrest and conviction of the person who broke into the west shack at the Polytechnic High School and stole two pair of track shoes and one pair of new tennis shoes.

W. M. Clayton, High School.

GARDEN GROVE

P. T. A. MEETS AT GARDEN GROVE ON MONDAY

Judge Thomas of Santa Ana
to Be Speaker; Fathers
Invited to Attend

GARDEN GROVE, Jan. 4.—The January meeting of the P. T. A. will be held Monday, January 7, at 3 p. m. Judge Thomas of Santa Ana will be present and give an address which will be equally interesting and valuable to fathers as well as mothers. Every one who can do so is urged to be present.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. J. Chaffee. A review of 1917 was given with Mrs. O. O. Young leader, Mrs. John Steele, intercession. The hostess served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin of Alhambra have moved into the Aronhalt house on Acacia, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Christensen. Mr. Martin is contractor for erecting the packing house for the Citrus Association.

Corporal C. C. Hatch returned to Camp Kearny Tuesday after several days spent at the home of Mrs. Coe Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Beardsley and family returned Wednesday from a visit to Mr. Beardsley's cousin, Ed Singer at Huntington Park, and Mrs. Beardsley's sister at Colton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Jackson were over Sunday visitors at the Capps cabin above Sierra Madre in the Big Santa Anita canyon with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Capps and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Meister of Los Angeles.

Near Accident on Road

A near accident occurred on Euclid avenue, north of town, Wednesday when Chas. Hold was driving south with a horse and buggy. He met an auto which skidded on the wet pavement and Mr. Holt pulled his horse to his haunches, the auto making a complete circle and striking the horse on the nose. Both horse and machine were going slowly.

Among those who enjoyed the Tournament of Roses were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jessup, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chilson, Mr. and Mrs. Stuck and Mr. Rice.

After having spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Watson and her sister, Mrs. S. R. Fitz, Mrs. Ralph P. Ericsson returned Monday to Rialto, where she is a teacher in the schools. She had news from Lieut. Ericsson from "Somewhere in France," telling of his safe arrival.

After spending Christmas at the home of his mother, Mrs. Della Anderson, Arthur Anderson returned to Camp Kearny. Other guests at Mrs. Anderson's were her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Waite, of Merced, and Mr. and Mrs. John Holt of Tustin.

Mrs. H. E. McKee entertained Friday her sisters, Mrs. M. K. Barkham of Los Angeles, Mrs. Jessie Boynton and Mrs. C. M. Clinton of Long Beach, Mrs. Thurston Richardson and guest, Miss Anna Van Ness, of Garden Grove. W. E. Phillips has moved his family from Chino to Garden Grove. They occupy one of the Neuring houses on Third street. Mrs. Phillips is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mayhew.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Geren, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Geren and son, Wallace, of Garden Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rensnyder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rodgers of Santa Ana, Mr. and Mrs. Koster, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Koster, Jr. and two children of Miltonvale, Kans., took their lunch and enjoyed the beautiful New Year's day at the county park. The elder Koster

FEW CENTS DESTROYS YOUR DANDRUFF AND STOPS FALLING HAIR

Save Your Hair! Make It Thick,
Wavy and Beautiful—
Try This!

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff; that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.—Adv.

BARGAINS

IN BICYCLES, TIRES AND
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10 day Special—\$1.50 Mud Guards for 50c. New rims and spokes put on bicycles, \$1.50.

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Cor. Main and Church Sts.

and Gerens were friends in their unmarried days. Mr. Koster, Sr. is a retired cattle dealer having been one of the most extensive and successful dealers in the Middle West. His boys have taken up the business which he has laid aside.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cook and Mrs. Frances Nelson and daughter, Miss Christine, motored to Santa Susana in Ventura county, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKee of San Juan Capistrano spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. McKee's mother, Mrs. H. E. McKee.

Leslie Trader, who is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Richardson, fell while at play and twisted his elbow, so has been robbed of many holiday pleasures.

Irvine Baldwin, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Price, left Wednesday for Los Angeles.

Warren A. Wheeler has purchased a Ford and on Sunday drove to Long Beach to visit Mrs. Wheeler's sister, Mrs. W. D. Dale.

G. H. Trevor of Yuma, Ariz., was a holiday guest at the J. F. Mayhew home.

Mrs. Clarence Waite was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan at Newport.

Miss Bessie and Miss Mildred Spain returned Wednesday from Los Angeles, where they spent a week with their brother, George Spain and family and friends.

Mrs. H. A. Boniurant and children and her parents, J. J. and Mrs. C. A. Clark of Garden City, Kans., attended the Tournament of Roses and remained for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boniurant of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Horowitz and son Cecil spent New Year's day with relatives in Hollywood. Mrs. Horowitz and son remained in Los Angeles, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McLeod of Long Beach were business visitors Monday.

NEWS BUDGET FROM TALBERT

TALBERT, Jan. 4.—Mrs. R. B. Carey of San Bernardino, came Wednesday of last week to the J. O. Harper home, remaining until Friday.

Ernest and Alma Plavan, who spent the past week at home, left Monday for their return to Perris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Giesler and their family motored to Pasadena Tuesday to the Rose Tournament.

Leo Davis' hand, which was badly injured Christmas day when he became caught in some cogs while at play, is healing nicely. One finger, which was torn the most, will be some time yet in healing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ward enjoyed the Tournament of Roses New Year's day.

A family dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones on New Year's day. Those of the party were Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Swift, sister, Miss Mildred Swift, and Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. W. A. Jones, sister, Mrs. Louton, husband and daughter, of Huntington Beach, sister, Mrs. Kenneth Sargent, and husband of Los Angeles, and brother, Terry Jones.

Mr. A. Nimocks received her two tractor engines, which have been expected to arrive for some weeks, on Thursday of last week. They have been set up and plowing has begun on the ranch.

Earl Lamb also received his new tractor last week.

The Robert Giesler family were in Long Beach for the day Sunday.

S. M. Sherman is moving to a place situated between Santa Ana and Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bullock spent Friday in Santa Ana assisting Mrs. C. E. Price in packing their household effects preparatory to their moving to Los Angeles, where Dr. Price is associated with a veterinary firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bullock motored to Long Beach Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Cannon of Bolsa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brady and family stopped over Friday night at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. S. E. Talbert, as they were enroute from Escondido. Brady is traveling salesman for a paint house and has been working through San Diego county.

Leo Borchard with his brothers, Chas. of Fairview, and Antonio of Greenville, and a friend, W. O. Hewes, left Saturday for a trip to Visalia, where they were met by other members of the Borchard family. All are interested in a large tract of land in that vicinity.

W. O. Hewes was a dinner guest at the Borchard home prior to their departure. They will be gone a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harper and the latter's mother and brother, Mrs. Lena Patterson and son Earl, of Bolsa, visited at Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harper's Thursday evening.

S. E. Talbert's mother, who has been seriously ill at her home at Long Beach, is much improved and able to be up now.

Mrs. Mabel Rozelle of Compton, spent Saturday night with her father, John Roper, and visited Monday with Mrs. S. E. Talbert taking the two o'clock car upon her return home.

Mrs. Rozelle, who is in the navy, is now at sea and Mrs. Rozelle has no idea of his whereabouts or of when she may again see him.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bradley and family were guests New Year's day of Mrs. Bradley's sister, Mrs. E. Horton, at Tustin.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvah J. Andrews and Miss Anna Andrews returned Friday from Long Beach where they passed several days with relatives. Miss Anna returned to the Beach Sunday to accompany friends to Pasadena Tuesday for the Tournament of Roses.

A. J. Hauptman and family of Westminster, were New Year's day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Borchard.

The Plavan family received a letter Monday of this week from their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Plavan, announcing their safe arrival at Monet, Mo. They reached their destination Christmas morning, having had a twenty-four hours delay en route.

They describe a most delightful trip and meetings with old friends, and said if they accepted all the invita-



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A daily duty and a daily pleasure with a host of progressive Orange County people is to read and study the little Want Ads appearing daily in the Register. These small messages hold many opportunities too valuable to pass up because of careless or perfunctory reading.

And there is a human interest quality about Register Want Ads that makes them interesting reading.

If you want to keep in touch with many live opportunities in this community; if you are interested in securing excellent bargains, resolve now to read and use Register Want Ads for profit. Use them also to fill many of your own needs. A little 25c ad will convince you of their worth.

The Register is the recognized advertising medium of Orange county.

Many ice cream manufacturers advertise that they are using honey instead of sugar for the sweetening of their product. The Glenn County farm bureau maintains a market commissioner. There are 700 members of this live bureau.

Any Sickness Leaves Weakness

Even a simple cold strips and reduces your resistive powers to allow other sickness. Only food—not alcohol or drugs—creates the rich blood which distributes strength to the body, and the concentrated medicinal food in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

makes the blood rich and stimulates its circulation while its tonic virtue enlivens the appetite and aids nutrition to reestablish your strength quickly and permanently. If you are rundown, anemic or nervous, by all means get Scott's Emulsion. It builds because it is a food—not a stimulant.

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Buttermilk GLOBE A-1 Dry Mash

Don't wonder why a black hen lays a white egg—

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by using a "Globe A-1" Buttermilk Mash; \$3.25 sack

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SAMPLE OF BUTTERMILK AND LITERATURE OF YOUR DEALER

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Both Phones 7.

1022 East Fourth St.

Public Administrator's Report

To the Hon. W. H. Thomas, Presiding Judge of the Superior Court of Orange County: Theo. A. Winbiger, Public Administrator of said County, respectfully makes this return of all estates which have come into his hands for the term commencing July 1, 1917, to January 1, 1918, in pursuance of the provisions of Sec. 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Date of Decedent's Death	Name of Decedent	Appraised Value of Real Estate	Appraised Value of Personal Estate	Amount Distributed to Heirs	Amount Distributed to Creditors	Amount Distributed to Other Parties	Amount Distributed to Public Administrator
Nov. 5, 1917	John Henneberg	\$1,227.00	\$1,227.34	\$131.95	\$470.99	\$624.40	\$0.00
Nov. 1, 1917	Karl Wenzel	6,016.50	984.14	876.97	107.17	\$5,139.53	\$0.00
Apr. 20, 1915	George Crawshaw	9,421.75	2,456.59	538.97	1,254.82	\$8,167.93	\$0.00
Sept. 24, 1915	Belle W. Brice	10,411.43	1,960.14	1,511.11	449.03	\$8,850.29	\$0.00
Oct. 22, 1915	William F. Brice	2,704.82	2,108.82	2,108.82	0.00	\$596.00	\$0.00
Oct. 29, 1915	A. D. Kelly	100.00	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Feb. 11, 1916	N. P. Bowler	2,475.00	2,475.00	0.00	106.80	\$2,368.20	\$0.00
Apr. 14, 1916	Jane B. Cook	420.47	228.47	0.00	8.66	\$218.81	\$192.00
Aug. 4, 1916	Susan E. King	504.00	504.00	0.00	118.70	\$385.30	\$0.00
Oct. 27, 1916	E. C. Spencer	700.00	28.95	0.00	14.50	\$685.50	\$0.00
Nov. 28, 1916	Martin Heurichson	1,500.00	554.47	247.65	85.58	\$1,166.77	\$0.00
May 11, 1917	Thomas Yates	2,424.25	881.96	228.15	20.10	\$2,176.00	\$0.00
May 18, 1917	Charles Cooper	2,197.33	2,197.33	232.00	418.05	\$1,567.28	\$0.00
June 20, 1917	Henry Patmor	800.00	25.12	0.00	25.12	\$774.88	\$0.00
Aug. 17, 1917	Lawrence Thompson	438.70	438.70	171.00	11.50	\$327.20	\$0.00
Aug. 1, 1917	John Dillon	2,000.00	105.00	0.00	26.75	\$1,973.25	\$0.00
Oct. 10, 1917	D. L. Heinsheimer	3,440.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	\$3,440.00	\$0.00
Nov. 2, 1917	Philip Demarco	147.71	147.71	0.00	0.00	\$147.71	\$0.00
Nov. 10, 1917	Stefano Mattalano	100.78	100.78	0.00	0.00	\$100.78	\$0.00
Nov. 2, 1917	A. A. Matthews	3,404.20	131.20	0.00	23.50	\$3,380.70	\$0.00
Nov. 9, 1917	Sarah E. Arnes	3,510.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	\$3,510.00	\$0.00
Nov. 16, 1917	W. T. Webster	\$3.00	\$3.00	0.00	0.00	\$3.00	\$0.00
Dec. 14, 1917	James E. Morton	877.58	127.58	0.00	13.50	\$764.08	\$0.00

State of California, County of Orange.—Theo. A. Winbiger, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he was the Public Administrator of said County at the time of the above report; that the foregoing is a full and correct copy of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands for the estates hereinbefore mentioned; that he is not, and was not at any time interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any estate he administered, nor is he associated in business or otherwise with anyone who is so interested.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1917.
(Seal)

THEO. A. WINBIGER,
N. T. EDWARDS, County Clerk.
By J. M. BACKS, Deputy.

NO UNION HOURS FOR ENGINEERS IN FRANCE

Great Difference Noted When Man Works for Country, Not Corporation

BY W. S. FORREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
A FRENCH RAILROAD CENTER, Dec. 10 (by mail).—What an American union labor man can do when it's for his country and not a corporation he's serving is demonstrated here.

Working in the big railway shops here is a unit of the U. S. Army Engineers, recruited principally from one of the best known railroads running into New York. The men came from the eastern railroad shops where the repair work is done. Every man was a member of the union at home. His union prescribed how many hours a day he should work, his wages and holidays.

Here in France today these expert shopmen are repairing locomotives from 6:30 a. m. until 7 p. m. with an hour off for dinner. Working beside the American shopmen are French civilian shopmen. The French shopmen work leisurely and talk a great deal, taking in addition several breathing spells along with eating spells. At eight o'clock he has breakfast, usually bread and wine. This follows the little breakfast he ate at home early in the morning. At noon he takes an hour off to eat bread and cheese with red wine. Four o'clock brings another meal of bread and wine. The American shopmen work at the usual American pressure without rest periods and with a single meal at noon.

The result of American labor in the local shops has been that broken down locomotives are getting scarce on this part of the French railway system. On the other hand railroad officials are busy trying to keep the shops supplied with frayed locomotives needing mending.

Men who would vote for a strike at the first effort of a corporation to infringe the union's rules in America are working for army pay here today without a grumble. In fact, they are satisfied.

"What do the men think of the work and the hours?" I asked a young lieutenant who used to be foreman in the Pennsylvania shops at Jersey City.

"Well, it was pretty hard until we got used to it," he said. "Now it isn't so bad. The hours remind me of how easy we were having it back home with the old eight-hour day. We wouldn't do it for the Pennsylvania railroad. But this is another matter. All of us realize that it's for Uncle Sam and we're all satisfied to work any hours to beat the Germans. I hope the people at home realize what most of us have given up to come over here and work. First, most everyone of us had a good eight-hour job. Second, in my case, and it's the same with some of the others I know, I've got a mother and wife and child back in Jersey City who've seen me every day without a miss. I'm kind of homesick and I suppose they would like to see me, but a fellow has to put all that aside when it's his country."

Within a few weeks, the American shopmen quartered here will leave to take over brand new shops, exclusively American, in another part of France.

Empire, Stanislaus County, which has been a great producer of peas is now contemplating planting an immense crop for next season.

The Azusa Citrus Association shipped during the past year 150,000 boxes of oranges and returned about \$240,000.

Another large seed farm of over 10,000 acres is being established in San Joaquin county, near New Hope.

Peacock's Laguna and Arch Beach Stage

Lv. Santa Ana 7:30 A. M.
Lv. Laguna Beach 7:30 A. M.
Daily. 2:15 P. M.
Sundays Only—Leave Laguna Beach 3:15 P. M. Instead of 2:15 P. M.
SANTA ANA OFFICE & DEPOT
416 North Sacramento St.
Sunset 891. Be sure it's Peacock's.

The Register's Business and Professional Directory

Automobiles

C. C. CRAWFORD, OLDSMOBILE Agency—117 East Fifth St. Pacific 1452; Home 75.

MONROE AGENCY—Fifth and Broadway. Home 282; Pacific 282.

DAVIS GARAGE, 209 N. Main St.—Chandler and Oakland cars, Auto repairing, supplies, etc. Both Phones 34.

Wall Paper and Paint
SANTA ANA PAINT STORE, 312 West Fourth—Wall paper, glass, artists' material, agricultural chemicals, etc. Pacific 1133; Home 36.

STANDARD PAINT & PAPER CO.—J. W. Green, Mgr., 209 W. Fourth. Wall paper and paint, wholesale and retail. Pacific 1376.

Shoe Repairing
GOODYEAR SHOE REPAIR SHOP—The best material and workmanship. Work called for and delivered. 403 W. Fourth St. Pacific 1462-W.

Auto Electric Work
ORANGE COUNTY IGNITION WORKS—Fifth and Spurgeon Sts. Willard Storage Batteries. Pacific 539; Home 6221.

Auto Tires
AUTO TIRES REPAIRED—Goodyear service station. Hoosier Vulcanizing Works, 118-120 West Third. Pacific 187.

Chicken Hatchery
ORANGE COUNTY HATCHERY, 403 E. Santa Ana Ave. Pac. 213-J. Thoroughbred baby chicks and hatching eggs.

Piano Tuning
W. B. JENNINGS—Work guaranteed. Care Chandler Music Store. Pacific 922; Home 72.

Nurseries
KETSCHER'S NURSERY, 1045 E. Fourth St.—Walnut, orange, lemon and ornamental trees, also rose bushes and vines. Pacific 710-W.

Autos and Implements
W. F. LUTZ & CO., 219-221 E. Fourth St.—Studebaker autos and implements auto tops, harness, etc. Both Phones 10.

Electric Motors
GENERAL ELECTRIC MOTORS and apparatus, pumping plant equipment. Contracts complete. M. R. Shipley, 303 N. Main. Phone 134; res., 1054-W.

THE MARKETS

PITTSBURG, Jan. 3.—One car lemons sold. Market is steady.

LEMONS. Avg. Transcontinental, O.R. Ex. \$4.20

Goldfinch, 2.90

El Modena, 2.00

Philadelphia Market

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 3.—One car lemons sold. Market is unchanged. There is a good demand at prevailing prices.

New York Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Five cars navel, one car Valencia, five cars lemons sold. Market steady on oranges, lower on lemons; light demand. Market low on lemons on account of the frozen condition. Weather fair but extremely cold.

NAVELS. Avg. Mt. Whitney, T.C. Ex. \$4.50

Dawn of Gold, T.C. Ex. 3.70

Lemovene, C.C. Ex. 3.60

Uniform, L.M. Ex. 3.55

Tamarack, L.M. Ex. 4.40

LEMONS. Avg. Paul Neyron, S.A. Ex. \$2.00

Fuchsia, S.A. Ex. 1.90

Wonderland, E.C.U. 3.50

LOS ANGELES PRODUCE MARKET

It is going to be foodstuffs that will win the war for the allies, and as the producer is the man who has all the hard and dirty work to do, he should get all the profit possible for what he does during the period of the war. Both the wholesaler and retailer, being middlemen, must be satisfied with a small profit until the great struggle has been brought to a close. The wholesale trade fell in line willingly and now the retail trade will do the same.

There was no change in butter and egg prices at yesterday afternoon's session of the Produce Exchange.

Bicycles

POST CYCLERY—New and second-hand bicycles. Sundries, tires, and repairs. Quick service. 306 West Fourth. Pacific 152.

BICYCLES—F. M. Jones Sales Co., 217 West Fourth St.—Bicycles and supplies of all kinds. Repairing, etc. Pacific 1354.

LUDWIG'S BIKE SHOP, 318 East Fourth St.—New and second-hand bicycles. Expert repairing. Pacific 449-J.

Auto Repairing
CENTRAL GARAGE, 107 W. Third St.—Auto repairing of all kinds. Pacific 270. Residence Phone 799-W.

HAMS AUTO REPAIR SHOP, 216 West Fifth St.—Expert Ford repair man. Pacific 754-W.

DICK AUTO STATION, 419 W. Fourth St.—General auto repairing. Miller carburetors, accessories, etc. Pac. 526.

CHESBRO'S AUTO & TRACTOR SHOP, 219 E. Fifth St.—General Repairing, overhauling and rebuilding. Work guaranteed. Phone 1457.

Auto Supply Station
MAIN SUPPLY STATION, 7th and Main—Accessories, oils, greases and gasoline. Agent for Western Auto Supply Agency. Pacific 1378.

EAST SIDE SUPPLY STATION, Geo. Ketscher, Prop., 1045 E. Fourth St.—Gasoline, oils, tires, etc. Pacific 710-W.

Machine Shops
SANTA ANA MACHINE WORKS—Discs sharpened. Steam and gas engines repaired. First and Sycamore Sts. Pac. 165.

Portrait Studios
HICKOX STUDIO, 1111 W. Fourth St.—High-grade Photography and Kodak finishing. Pacific 961-J.

Transfer
ZAMSEY TRANSFER, 508 East Fourth St.—Long and short hauls. Our prices get the trade. Pacific 911-W.

SANTA ANA COMMERCIAL CO., 1105 East Fourth St.—Transfer. Long and short hauls. Pacific 66; Home 366.

Auto Wreckers, Junk Dealers
AUTO WRECKERS & JUNK DEALERS—419 E. Fourth St. Phone Pacific 188.

SANTA ANA JUNK CO., 410 W. Fifth St.—Highest prices paid for sacks, paper, metals and rubber. Pac. 1246; Home 112.

Lost and Found
WHITE ANGORA CAT STOLEN JAN. 1 from 209 S. Broadway. Reward for particulars. Guilty parties were seen. Phone 1211-J.

LOST—Black leather pocketbook, near Blankenbiller's store, containing name and false teeth. Leave at gasoline station west end Fifth St. or Phone 337-R3.

LOST—La valiere with small diamond. Reward—Phone Orange 51-33, or Santa Ana 450-R2.

LOST—\$5.00 gold piece, on Fourth St., Saturday evening. Return 322 W. 15th St. Phone 581-R. Reward.

LOST—Please return auto gloves picked up at auto wreck west of Garden Grove New Year's day to Register office.

Merced county farmers have estimated each jackrabbit to destroy at least \$5.00 worth of farm products.

Mendocino county is organizing and wants a farm adviser.

Do you want to buy or sell anything? No matter what it is—a house, a dog, a piano, what not—use our classified ad. department.

The logic—and the reality—is this:

You find the seller who wants to sell and the buyer who wants to buy.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Santa Ana Orange Growers Association will be held January 10, 1918, at Campbell's Opera House, in the City of Orange, at 9:30 a. m. with the election of officers for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

G. N. ATWOOD, Secretary.

FOR EXCHANGE

An 8 room modern house, garage, two fine lots set to fruit. Price \$5000. Want residence in Minneapolis, Winona, Minn., or La Crosse, Wis., or Brookings, S. D.

480 acres in Kansas, 160 under cultivation, 65 acres in alfalfa, balance in pasture. Price \$12,000. Want something here.

7 room modern cottage in southwest Los Angeles. Price \$5000. Want Santa Ana.

20 acres 4 year old Valencia oranges, with half interest in good pumping plant, fair improvements. Will take house and lot. Price \$20,000.

WELLS & WARNER. Both Phones. 111 West Fourth St. Santa Ana.

VALENCIA ORANGE GROVES AND LIMA BEAN LAND

10 acres in Villa Park section, full bearing, absolutely frostless, fine, modern 7 room house, with all modern conveniences. Price \$25,000.

20 acres in Garden Grove section, good house and barn, \$3000 pumping plant, 1580 Valencia trees 3 and 4 years old, A-1 soil. Price \$25,000.

44 acres A-1 lima bean land, Talbert section. None better. Price \$18,000.

Money to Loan. Fire Insurance.

Hankey & Hardy 301 North Main St. Phone 1218.

For Sale—City Property
FOR SALE—Modern, nearly new bungalow of five rooms, good garage, price \$2250; small cash payment, balance \$15 monthly, including interest, or will take vacant lot. Shaw & Russell, Phones 522.

FOR SALE—Close-in property, rented to present tenant eight years, this pays over \$1 per cent on my sacrifice price of \$4,500. Owner, T. Box 100, Register, Cal. Phone 131-R.

FOR SALE—Two modern houses, furnished, on one lot, nice home and \$180 income. Owner, 1047 West Third.

FOR SALE—ORANGE—6-room modern house, 50-ft. lot, garage, chicken house, etc., on paved street. Also three lots suitable for building purposes. Will consider Fullerton property, small acreage, good auto as part pay, or investment. Owner, 511 N. Pomona Ave., Fullerton, Cal.

FOR SALE—Two acres oranges, walnuts and family fruit, 55 ft. fronting Broadway; also chicken wire and sheds. Inquire of Mrs. Jacob Fisher, 2020 N. Broadway.

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room house, South Main, \$2850; \$100 down, balance \$25 a month. Shaw & Russell.

FOR SALE—Two lots on West Fourth, close in, cheap. Will consider trade. Phone 1000-W.

FOR SALE—Choice east front lot, 55x155, in Nob Hill tract, on Valencia St., price \$600. Write to Mrs. Ordina North, 1018 E. Third St., Long Beach, Cal., or call 355-R. Santa Ana.

FOR SALE—First-class, up-to-date, clean, ideal apartment house, good location in Santa Ana; a bargain. F. Box 46, Register office.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—Fine, large 7-room house, 514 Union St. Inquire 614 McCloy St. Phone 436-R1.

For Sale—Country Property
FOR SALE—40 acres bean land, close to Santa Ana; house, barn, pumping plant; enough water for 80 acres; 7-acre apple orchard all in good shape. Money to loan on good security. R. E. Tucker, 234 Spurgeon Bldg. Phone 1241.

FOR SALE—16 acres, located near Olive, on paved road, eight acres 6 to 8 years old, three acres 3 years old, three acres 1 year old, all Valencias; last year's come \$2400; 15 shares of water; small house and barn; \$1250 per acre. Might take in house and lot. S. B. Edwards, Orange, Calif.

PALO VERDE VALLEY
FOR SALE—40 or 80 acres, 72 acres improved, 14 miles from Blythe. For particulars, address Box 131, Blythe, Cal.

FOR SALE—SOME FOR EXCHANGE. Choice oranges, lemons and walnut groves in Orange county. Big income grove. C. B. BERGER CO., Anaheim, Cal.

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BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT HUNTINGTON

Beach Chamber of Commerce Plans Produce Exchange As Market Center

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Jan. 4.—The merchants and business men of Huntington Beach have formed an organization to be known as the Business Men's Protective Association, which is patterned somewhat after similar organizations in neighboring cities. At a recent meeting when the organization was perfected the following officers were elected:

President, F. H. McElfresh; secretary-treasurer, C. W. Warner. It is expected that the organization will be in complete running order in the very near future.

To Start Produce Exchange

The Chamber of Commerce now has on foot a proposition for organizing a produce exchange in this city which, when perfected, will be of much advantage to the producers of the surrounding country by way of furnishing a ready market for all products, and assuring a uniform grading of the same to the effect that it may realize the highest market prices at home.

At the present it is not definitely decided on what basis the exchange will operate, but several men are in the field working out detailed information along various lines with the idea in view of adopting some practical and feasible basis of operation suitable to this locality.

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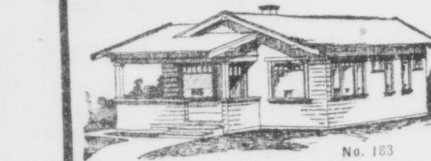
"This old world is a mighty small place after all," declared A. E. Swofel, last evening.

Swofel is a new man in Santa Ana, having come here yesterday to accept a position with the Mateer drug store. The occasion for the remark about the size of the world was the fact that he greeted two old friends here, Dr. McAuley and Harry Mosbaugh, both of whom he knew years ago in Pittsburg, where he was in the drug business.

Swofel was formerly manager of the Owl Drug Store at Fifth and Broadway, Los Angeles, but more recently has been Southern California representative of the Pompeian Company, with headquarters in Los Angeles. He resigned the first of the year.

Swofel will probably move his family here from Los Angeles later.

Hindus who cleaned up a small fortune on Butte county rice fields last year are now headed for India where they will be "some capitalists."



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Patriotic Demonstration Key-note of Program Last Night at Big Tabernacle

Living Flag Beautiful and Dramatic Spectacle Given By Chorus Choir

One of the most spectacular patriotic demonstrations ever presented in this city was that which occurred last night at the Biederwolf tabernacle in which the large chorus choir, the singers of the Biederwolf party, Messrs. Heaton and Bachmeyer, and the veterans of the Civil war joined with the people of Santa Ana in a festival of patriotic music preceding the regular sermon by the evangelist. Two numbers of especial interest were the duet by the two singers, Heaton and Bachmeyer, and the living flag demonstration by the large chorus choir.

The largest week-night crowd which has attended the tabernacle was on hand last night to witness the gorgeous spectacle presented. Opening with the entire audience singing "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," the crowd was soon in a spirit of patriotic fervor, and this was increased as the program progressed. A choir rendered as its first anthem, a special selection of America, entitled, "My Country." This song used the words of the hymn "America," but the music was new, and especially stirring.

Honor to Veterans

Honoring the presence of about two hundred members of the G. A. R., the Ladies of the G. A. R., the Woman's Relief Corps, and the Daughters of Veterans, Heaton and Bachmeyer sang a beautiful song, "The Old Flag Never Touched the Ground." As the voices of these two delightful singers swept into the chorus of the song of the second verse, they suddenly drew from behind the pulpit a large American flag which was quickly unfurled before them. Repeating the chorus softly, each man drew from his pocket a small silk flag, and thus holding the large flag with one hand they waved the smaller flag in the other hand, keeping time to the music of their song. The effect was splendid.

As the song was finished a burst of applause greeted the singers which swelled and re-echoed and would not be silenced, until Dr. Biederwolf finally declared that the singers had no more just like that but that they had something better a little later.

The Living Flag

True to promise the "something better" was presented by the monster chorus choir. Every chair in the choir loft was filled last night for participation in one of the most beautiful drills ever seen here. The first part of the number was "The Red, White and Blue," and as the chorus was sung each of the women members of the choir fluttered a handkerchief in the air, some of red, some of white and some of blue. They paused a moment before starting the second verse, and at a signal from Director Heaton wide strips of bunting were raised and held by the women of the chorus.

These strips alternated red and white, while in one corner of the chorus the bunting was blue with stars upon the blue. The effect from the audience was that of a perfect American flag. As they sang the chorus of the song the bunting was raised and lowered, and then the music changed. Slowly swinging into the strains of the chorus of the "Star Spangled Banner" the bunting was swayed gently from side to side, giving the impression of the large flag fluttering in the breeze. A rousing burst of applause greeted the singers as they reached the climax of this spectacle, and then the whole



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WEEK'S PROGRAM AT BIG TABERNACLE ON BROADWAY AT FIFTH

Friday

9:30—Cottage prayer meetings throughout the city.

2:30—Dr. Biederwolf speaks in the Tabernacle on Spiritualism.

3:30—Bible Study in the Tabernacle. Mrs. Mayell, leader.

7:30—Reformed Presbyterian, German Evangelical and Salvation Army come in special delegations.

Saturday

10:30—Song Service in Tabernacle.

11:00—Ted Evans preaches in Tabernacle.

12:00—Picnic dinner in Tabernacle.

2:30—Chautauqua program.

3:00—Dr. Biederwolf preaches.

7:30—Regular meeting in the Tabernacle.

Sunday

10:30—Union church services in the Tabernacle.

2:00—Sunday School Rally in the Tabernacle. Sections reserved for each Sunday School.

6:00—Young people meet in regular meeting in their own churches.

7:00—Union services in the Tabernacle.

Monday

7:30—Mr. Ireland, sub-chairman of State Food Conservation, will speak in the Tabernacle.

Tuesday

7:30—First Methodist, Methodist Church South, Richland Ave. Methodist, Christian, Immanuel Baptist and Spanish Methodist Churches attend Tabernacle in special delegations.

audience was asked to join in the chorus as it was sung for the second time.

Long Beach, El Modena, Here

Special delegations were present last night. Between fifty and sixty people were on hand from Long Beach, and El Modena Friends church sent a crowd of about forty people. Dr. Bauman of the First Christian church of Long Beach was called upon to lead in prayer.

The G. A. R. veterans had the place of honor in the center section of the tabernacle last night. Dr. Biederwolf was influenced throughout his address and in his opening remarks by the presence of these former defenders of our country. In greeting them the evangelist said:

Welcomes Veterans

"I want to welcome the veterans here tonight. We feel ourselves highly honored to have you men who followed the flag in the days of '61 with us. I want to say, God bless you. I know that when you gather this way your minds go back to the days when you were mustered in. Times have changed since that day. We have the telephone and the telegraph and many things we did not have then. Times have changed and you have changed, but don't forget that there will be another time of mustering. There will be a muster in on the golden streets of God's city. I hope you will all determine to be there. If there is any man who ought to be a Christian it is a soldier who has gone through the struggle, for what you did for your country, Christ did for you. No man will ever be any poorer for fighting for his country, but fighting for your country will never earn you a place in heaven."

District Attorney L. A. West was present last night, and was given a few minutes to speak to the audience on the subject of "Thrift Stamps." He explained the purpose of these stamps, and the methods of procuring them. "We have not yet begun to sacrifice," said West. "The time has come when we must no longer do our bit—we must do it."

Takes Shot at Militarism

In the course of his sermon last night, Dr. Biederwolf took a shot at the militarism of Germany, and showed the absolute falsehood of the belief of the kaiser that the German people living in the United States would prove loyal to him in time of war. Dr. Biederwolf read an extract from an address made by Emperor William in 1908 in which the kaiser claimed to have three million subjects living in America and through whom he claimed he could control the Government of this country. After showing that these German subjects had not proved their loyalty to the kaiser, but had rather proved their loyalty to the United States, the evangelist declared that this country owed a deep debt to these German-born citizens of the United States. "We have said good-bye to the hyphen," said Dr. Biederwolf, "and we are all Americans whether we were born here or not."

Dr. Biederwolf preached last night from the text, "What Shall I Then Do With Jesus Who is Called the Christ?"

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250 Attend Banquet and Hear Interesting Talks By Local Men

About 250 men gathered at dinner last night at the United Presbyterian church in a business and professional men's banquet held in connection with the evangelistic campaign in progress in the city.

The banquet room in the basement of the church was decorated beautifully with asparagus fern and poinsettias. The meal was prepared and served by a committee of twenty women.

Following the dinner an interesting program was given with Dr. J. A. Stevenson of the Presbyterian church as chairman. Prayer was offered by Dr. Davies, and short talks were given, as follows:

"Religion from a Lawyer's Standpoint," District Attorney L. A. West.

"Religion from an Educator's Standpoint," Prof. W. H. Clayton.

"Religion from a Business Man's Standpoint," H. P. Rankin.

Following these addresses, Dr. Biederwolf spoke for a short time on some of his experiences as an evangelist, and extended a cordial invitation to the men present to attend the meeting in the tabernacle. Practically every man at the dinner availed himself of the opportunity and marched to the tabernacle for the meeting there, where seats were reserved for them.

During the program music was given by Messrs. Heaton and Bachmeyer.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS NOTES FROM ORANGE CITY

ORANGE, Jan. 3.—After an illness of only a few days, Elmer Martin, aged 46 years, died at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Anaheim Sanitarium. He leaves a wife and two little daughters.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Methodist church at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. E. Hall officiating. Burial was in Fairhaven cemetery, Santa Ana.

Mr. Martin's brother and sister-in-law of San Diego attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McDowell of Washington avenue entertained Mr. and Mrs. Thierman and Mrs. A. E. Dodge, old-time neighbors of theirs of Pomona, at a delightful dinner New Year's day. After dinner a very pleasant time was spent with conversation.

Real Estate Transfers

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I. W. Fisher et ux to E. I. Fisher—Lot 4, block D, Laguna Heights No. 3; \$10.

Andrew Osgoodby to Helena Frances Browning—Southeast quarter of northwest quarter and lot 3, section 4-3-9; \$10.

Helena Frances Browning to John Francis Potter—Same; \$10.

Long Beach Savings Bank & Trust Company to Sue M. Zuer—Lots 6 and 8, block 305, Huntington Beach; \$721.

Vernon C. Laney to LeRoy Lyon—Part of lot 18, block K, Kramer tract; \$10.

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Co-Operative Land Company to E. E. Cooley—Lot 16, and north 5 feet of lot 15, block 13, Polytechnic Villa tract; \$10.

B. F. Houts et ux to Nettie Todhunter—South 45 feet of lot 5, block F, town of Orange; \$10.

Sadie A. Morse Skiles et conj to L. K. Strong—5 acres on West Seventeenth street; \$10.

Lois W. Bushard et ux to Danilo Dakovitch—Lot 4, McCarter's re-subdivision; \$10.

Emma P. Hall et conj to Louis W. Bushard—Lots 12 and 13, block B, Hotel Del Campo tract; \$10.

William M. Mills et ux to John C. Thompson—Lots 40 and 42, Park tract addition, and strip 53 by 125 feet on Orange avenue, Santa Ana; \$10.

John Schliert to Albert A. Mallett et ux—North half of east half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter of section 27-5-11.

Nettie Hansen to Alfred H. Hansen—South half of southeast quarter of southwest quarter, and south half of southwest quarter of southeast, section 16-4-11, containing 40 acres; \$10.

C. H. Gile et ux to Ernest J. Zeller et ux—West half of southwest quarter of southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 25-4-10.

Thomas F. McDowell et ux to Roy M. Silkwood et ux—North half of west half of lot 12, block B, Buckingham tract; \$10.

Luia E. Wright to Harry E. Wright—Part of lot 1, Espulveda tract, and lot 87 and southeast half of lot 40, Laguna Beach; \$10.

J. T. Wilson et ux to Mrs. Frank A. Phillips—Part of lot 18, Birch addition; \$10.

George W. W. Stinchfield et ux to Walter V. Crane et ux—Lot 2, Stinchfield tract addition to Orange; \$10.

Clara W. Wilson to Della M. Wagner—West 50 feet of lot 16, block H, Heninger's Second addition; \$10.

The preliminary arrangements for the Madera irrigation project are practically completed and dam site located.

The Three Rivers district of Tulare county will this year ship out eight carloads of apples.

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POLICE UNCOVER MARRIAGE BY JUDGE COX

LONG BEACH, Jan. 4.—An unhappy expose of a secret wedding on New Year's eve has come about here through the activities of police officers in halting into court the young couple who were honeymooning on the beach. Unhappier still for the bridegroom was the denouement, at police headquarters when the bride left in company with her father, who threatened action in an effort to annul the marriage.

Miss Vista Clague, 19, pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clague, the former a retired preacher, eloped to Santa Ana December 31 with Raymond F. Lee, a young street car conductor. Miss Clague, whose appearance is youthful, took along the family Bible, through the records in which she convinced Judge Cox that her age was 19. He married them. The bride planned to continue living at home for the present and the wedding was to be kept a secret.

Police Sergeant Ralph Powell and Patrolman Claude Reusch spoiled these plans by interfering with the newlyweds' alleged honeymoon on the beach. Brought before Police Judge Carl Hawkins, they admitted that they had slipped away to Santa Ana and were married.

The girl's father, when notified of the developments, denounced his daughter's runaway marriage and, according to the police, declared his intention to start annulment proceedings. On the other hand, Lee has retained Attorney John H. Burke, who said last night that a suit for alleged alienation of the bride's affections might be brought against her father.

Farmers of Fresno County are discussing with Adviser Smith as to extensive cotton planting in that county.

Salinas, Monterey County, held a tractor demonstration last week.

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